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BENGAL.

BIRTH.

ROBERT—At Ootacamund, on the 3rd Oct., the wife of Edward Roberts, Esq., of a son.

DEATHS.

CREWE—At Bhaugnipore, on the 9th Oct., Henry Rosengrave Harper, only son of Dr. A. G. Crewe, Civil Surgeon, and Jemima, his wife,—aged 9 months and 17 days.

WILSON—At Boroonatchuck Colliery, Ramegunge, on the 16th Oct., Mr. J. H. Wilson, Engineer to the Beerbhoom Coal Company.

SHIPPING.

STEAM TO KURRACHEE.

THE British India Steam Navigation Company's (Limited) Screw Steam Ship GOVERNOR HIGGINSON, 759 tons, 160 H. P., Captain ERSKINE, will be despatched to Kurrachee with Mails, Passengers and Cargo twelve hours after arrival of the English Mail.

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

STEAM TO THE PERSIAN GULF.

THE British India Steam Navigation Company's (Limited) Screw Steam Ship EUPHRATES, 750 Tons, 140 H. P., Captain DAY, will be despatched to the Persian Gulf, on the 10th November, touching at Kurrachee, Guadel, Muscat, Bunder Abbas, Bushire and Bussorah, also Lunga if sufficient inducement offer.

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH THE MALABAR COAST, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

(Touching at Colombo should sufficient inducement offer.)

THE British India Steam Navigation Company's (Limited) Screw Steam Ship BUSHIRE, 900 Tons, 180 H. P., Captain CAMERON, will be despatched on 1st November, with Mails, Passengers, and Cargo, for Calcutta, touching at Vingorla, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Calicut, Cochin, Tuticorin, Negapatam, Madras, Masulipatam, Coconada, Vizagapatam and Bimlipatam.

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

BOMBAY COAST AND RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED.)

TRI-MONTHLY COMMUNICATION BETWEEN BOMBAY AND COCHIN.

TRI-MONTHLY COMMUNICATION BETWEEN COCHIN AND BOMBAY.

THE Bombay Coast and River Steam Navigation Company (Limited) will until further notice despatch Steamers to and from the Malabar Coast THREE TIMES A MONTH calling at the intermediate Ports. The Steamers are expected to arrive and depart on the following dates:—

MONTHLY DATES AND HOURS OF DEPARTURE.

Ports.	Dates.	A.M.	P.M.	Ports.	Dates.	A.M.	P.M.
Bombay Dep.	10	10	6	Cochin Dep.	8	10	6
Agatti Bunder	10	2	10	Beypore „	9	10	5
Vingorla „	11	21	8	Calicut „	9	10	10
Goa „	12	22	8	Tellicherry „	10	20	8
Carwar „	13	20	5	Cannanore „	10	20	6
Competh „	13	23	9	Mangalore „	11	11	1
Mangalore „	14	23	1	Competh „	12	22	7
Cannanore „	15	24	11	Carwar „	12	24	13
Tellicherry „	14	24	4	Goa „	13	23	13
Calicut „	15	24	7	Vingorla „	14	23	13
Beypore „	15	24	6	Ratnagherry „	14	24	10
Cochin Arr.	15	20	1	Apollo Bunder Bombay... (Arr.	14	24	4

STEAM FROM BOMBAY TO SURAT EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

STEAM FROM SURAT TO BOMBAY EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

ONE of the Company's Steamers will be despatched TWICE A WEEK to Surat and from Surat to Bombay as follows:—

DEPARTURE FROM BOMBAY TO SURAT.
EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY, AT 6 P. M.
DEPARTURE FROM SURAT TO BOMBAY.
EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY, AT HIGH-WATER.

WEEKLY STEAMER BETWEEN BOMBAY AND PHOWNUGGUR EVERY FRIDAY.

WEEKLY STEAMER BETWEEN PHOWNUGGUR, AND BOMBAY EVERY MONDAY.

THE Company will also despatch a Steamer to and from Phownuggur ONCE A WEEK, calling at the intermediate Ports. The Steamer is expected to arrive and depart, as follows:—

	Week Days.	A.M.	P.M.		Week Days.	A.M.	P.M.
Bombay Dep.	Friday	...	5	Phownuggur Dep.	Monday	12	...
Goga „	Saturday	...	7	Goga „	...	...	...
Phownuggur Arr.		...	10	Bombay Arr.	Tuesday	...	10

For Passage, rates of Freight, &c., apply to the undersigned.

FULCHER, COOPER & Co., Managers.
7, Rampart Row, 11th October 1864.

STEAM COMMUNICATION TO SUEZ.

THE Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Steam-ship MALTA, (1,900 Tons and 500 H. P.) Captain J. G. GRIBBLE, will be despatched for Aden and Suez on SATURDAY, the 1st October, at 10 A. M., carrying Mails and Passengers for England.

Last Shipping day, Wednesday the 26th instant, after which no Cargo will be received on board.

ROBERT DUNDAS, Acting Superintendent.
P. and O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Bombay, 18th Oct., 1864.

N. B.—Parcels will not be received in this Office under any circumstances after 1 P. M. on 28th instant.

Shippers of Cargo on the Company's Black Bills of Lading are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of these Bills of Lading, with reference to the transhipment and forwarding of Cargo, with a view to the encumbrances of their Insurance Policies in respect of the same.

STEAM COMMUNICATION TO POINT DE GALLE, PENANG, SINGAPORE, AND HONGKONG.

THE Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Steam-ship SALSETTE, 1491 Tons and 400 H.P.,) Captain J. S. MURRAY, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 22nd October at 9 A. M., carrying Mails also Cargo and Passengers for Madras and Calcutta.

Last Shipping day, Wednesday the 26th inst. No brokerage will be allowed on any chest of Opium not in the ship on the 26th instant.

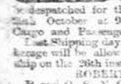
ROBERT DUNDAS, Acting Superintendent.
P. and O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Bombay, 22nd Oct., 1864.

N. B.—It is necessary that Bills of Lading and Receipts should be in Office by noon of 27th instant.

Shippers of Cargo on the Company's Black Bills of Lading are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of these Bills of Lading, with reference to the transhipment and forwarding of Cargo, with a view to the encumbrances of their Insurance Policies in respect of the same.

OVERLAND ROUTE *via* TRIESTE.

(In direct communication with the P. and O. Co.'s Steamers to Suez.)



THE AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S MAIL STEAMERS leave Alexandria direct for Trieste weekly, immediately after the arrival of the Bombay and Calcutta Mails and Passengers from Suez. The distance between Alexandria and Trieste is 200 miles shorter than that between Alexandria and Marseilles and is much more agreeable, it being a coasting trip full of variety of beautiful scenery from the Island of Candia to the port of Trieste. The passage occupies only 4½ to 5 days and the Company employ on this line their best Steamers, built expressly for this service, and with special reference to the accommodation and comfort of Passengers, with an experienced Surgeon on board each vessel. At Trieste the traveller to England has an extensive choice of picturesques and interesting routs, occupying from 3 days 6 hours to 6 days to London at an expense varying from £7 to £23.

The railway between Trieste, Calais and Ostend, is complete throughout.

The Custom-house and Pass-port systems have been considerably modified and need not cause any apprehension of being vexatious or troublesome.

Passengers by the P. and O. Company's Steamers to Suez can have their baggage forwarded by that Company's Steamer's to Southampton at a charge of 10 per cent., to which the Austrian Lloyd's Agent at Suez will attend.

The undersigned Agents are prepared to grant passage tickets for the Steamers plying between Alexandria and Trieste and for the railway between Suez and Alexandria.

Rates of passage-money, including a liberal table and steward's fees from Alexandria to Trieste, *first-class* £15; *second-class* £10; *children* under 10 years at *half fare*, under 2 years *free*. *Reduced fares* for FAMILIES, consisting of not less than three members travelling together, *first-class* £12 7/3 for head; *second-class* £8-5 per head. Railway tickets from Suez to Alexandria with all the privileges of Passengers by the P. and O. Co., *first-class* £7, *second-class* £5 10s.; *children* over 3 and under 10 years at *half fare*.

For further particulars, apply to

A. H. HUSCHKE & Co.,
Agents for the Austrian Lloyd.

Bombay, 27, Modow Street.

NOTICE.

Travellers by the Overland route via Trieste can have their Pass-Ports viséd for Austria and Prussia by the undersigned.

A. C. GUMPERT,
Consul for Austria and Prussia.

Bombay 27, Modow Street.

STEAM TO SURAT.

THE new and fast sailing Screw Steamer TAPTEE, THOS. ELLIS, Commander, (recently arrived from England,) has very superior accommodation for First Class Passengers, and will be despatched for the above Port, TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, the 28th instant.

For Freight of Goods, Specie, and Passengers, apply to the Manager, opposite to Kavakhana's Lane, Bazar Gate Street, Fort.

Bombay, 26th October 1864.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

Under Contract to Government to sail on the 1st November with Troops.

THE splendid new London Clipper-built Ship TIVERTON, JAMES SMITH, Commander, 1,175 Tons, classed A 1, 12 years at Lloyds, and A 1, 20 years at Liverpool. For Freight apply to

COUPLAND & Co.,
Bombay, 5th October 1864. Agents Ship *Tiverton*.

FOR LONDON.

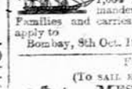
To sail about the end of January 1865.

MESSRS. GREEN'S Passenger Ship "AGAMEMNON," 1451 tons register, S. MARDAR, Commander, favourably known on the Calcutta line, has excellent accommodation for families, and carries a Surgeon. For further particulars apply to

Bombay, 17th September 1864. WALLACE & Co.

FOR LONDON.

TO SAIL ABOUT THE END OF FEBRUARY 1865.

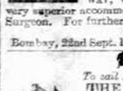


MESSRS. GREEN'S Regular Passenger Ship WALMER CASTLE, 1,064 Tons register, M. H. BAY, Commander, has excellent accommodation for Families and carries a Surgeon. For further particulars apply to

Bombay, 8th Oct. 1864. WALLACE & Co.

FOR LONDON.

(TO SAIL EARLY IN JANUARY 1865.)

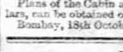


MESSRS. SOMES' favorite Ship STAR OF INDIA, A 1, 14 years, at Lloyds, 1,045 Tons register, CHARLES HOLLOWAY, Commander. This fine Vessel has very superior accommodation for Passengers and carries a Surgeon. For further particulars address

W. NICOL & Co.,
Bombay, 22nd Sept. 1864. Agents ship *Star of India*.

FOR LONDON.

To sail early in January 1865.



THE fine Frigate-built ship COSSIPATRICK, 1,119 Tons Register, and A 1 at Lloyd's for 13 years, commanded by JAMES ABERDOUR ELMSLIE. This favorite vessel has very superior accommodation for Passengers, and carries a Surgeon.

Plans of the Cabin accommodation, and further particulars, can be obtained of

W. NICOL & Co.
Bombay, 18th October 1864.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Consignees of Cargo, per *Franc Maria*, from Bordeaux, are requested to send Boats alongside to receive their Goods as they come to hand, otherwise the Captain will land the same at their expense and risk, and will not be responsible for the condition of any package after it once leaves the Ship's deck.

DOSSABHOY CURSETJEE & Co.
Agents Ship Franc Maria.

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MR. CAGLI begs to inform the Public that he has been obliged to postpone opening the Grant Road Theatre till TUESDAY, 1st November,

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ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY,
SIGNOR CAGLI.

First Performance will take place on TUESDAY, 1st November, at the GRANT ROAD THEATRE.

OPERA "TROVATORE"—VERDI.

Artistes.

Miss Amalia Jackson,	Signor Francisco Fiorani.
Signor Enrico Giusti,	Miss Cleopatra Rancati.
Madame A. Mauuco Corti,	Signor A. Sironi.
Signor Ettore Corti,	

Chorus 8 persons.

Orchestra under the direction of Monsieur L. Usilli.

Commence at 8: Overture commences at half-past 8: Curtain rises at a quarter to 9.

Holders of Season Tickets will only be admitted TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS.

Box Plan: The Performances to the Public will be advertised in a day or two.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

NOTICE.—On and after Monday the 24th instant, the following new Stations will be opened for Public Traffic:—

Atgaum, between Shawpoor and Kurdoo, on the Concan Line;

Naldoogree, between Nandgaum and Challisgaum; and Myhur, between Pachora and Munsawud, on the North Eastern Line.

Information in regard to Rates, Fares, &c., may be ascertained at the respective Stations, or at the Office of the undersigned.

E. W. KEILY,
Acting General Manager.

Boree Bunder, 18th October 1864.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

EXTENSION OF THE RAILWAY TO NEEMGAUM OR NANDORA AND SHEAGAUM.

AN extension of the Railway from Mulkapoor to Sheagaum, a distance of 32¾ miles, will be opened for Passenger Traffic only, on and after MONDAY, the 24th instant.

The Train leaving Egutpoora at 5-0 A. M. in connection with the 5-40 P.M. Down Train from Bombay will run on to Sheagaum, calling at Neemgaum or Nandora at 7-45 A.M., and arriving at Sheagaum at 8-30 A. M.

The Up-Train will leave Sheagaum at 5-15 A. M., and Neemgaum or Nandora at 6-5 A. M., arriving at Egutpoora at 8-50 P. M.

By order,

E. W. KEILY, Jr., Acting General Manager.
General Manager's Office, Bombay Terminus, 18th October 1864.

MOFUSSIL COTTON PRESS COMPANY (LIMITED.)

મોફસીલ કોટન પ્રેસ કમપની (લીમીટેડ.)

मोफ़ज़ील काटन प्रेस कमपनी (लीमीटेड.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a General Meeting of the Shareholders in the Mofussil Cotton Press Company (Limited) will be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of December next, at 3 o'clock P.M., at the Office of Messrs W. Nicol & Co., when the Account prepared by the undersigned as Liquidators will be submitted to the Meeting, and it will be proposed to pass a Resolution that in the opinion of the Meeting the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.

ROBERT McILWRAITH,
HAMILTON MAXWELL,
JOHN LONGLEY,
} Liquidators.

Bombay, 17th October 1864.

SCINDE PRESS COMPANY (LIMITED.)

સીંધ પ્રેસ કંપની (લિમીટેડ.)

सींध प्रेस कंपनी (लीमीटेड.)

FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all Shares in the above Company upon which the 2nd Call of Rs. 250 per share, with interest at 9 per cent. per annum, shall have not been paid at the offices of the undersigned on or before TUESDAY, the 1st November 1864, will be absolutely forfeited for the benefit of the Company in terms of Articles 18 and 19 of Table B. of Act XIX. of 1857.

By order of the Directors,
EWART, LATHAM & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

Bombay, 17th October 1864.

COTTON GINNING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

કાર્તન જેનગીન કંપની (લીમીટેડ.)

काटन जेनगीन कमपनी (लीमीटेड.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a General Meeting of the Shareholders in the Cotton Ginning Company (Limited) will be held on MONDAY, the 19th day of December next, at 2-30 o'clock P.M., at the Office of Messrs W. Nicol & Co., when the Account prepared by the undersigned, as Liquidators, will be submitted to the Meeting, and it will be proposed to pass a Resolution that in the opinion of the Meeting the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.

ROBERT McILWRAITH,
HAMILTON MAXWELL,
JOHN LONGLEY,
} Liquidators.

Bombay, 17th October 1864.

POONA HOTEL COMPANY (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL 7,50,000 RUPEES IN 3,000 SHARES OF RUPEES 250 EACH.

Promoters.

The Hon'ble M. H. SCOTT (Messrs. RITCHIE, STEUART & Co.)
R. MCILWRAITH, Esq. (Messrs. NICOL & Co.)
G. M. STEWART, Esq. (Messrs. REMINGTON & Co.)
J. P. LEITH, Esq. (Messrs. FORBES & Co.)
J. P. BICKERSTETH, Esq. (Messrs. BICKERSTETH, CLEVELAND AND PEILE.)
H. COKE, Esq., Poona.

Solicitors.

Messrs. BICKERSTETH, CLEVELAND, AND PEILE.

Bankers.

Asiatic Banking Corporation.

The object of this Company is to purchase a large building now under construction at Poona, and to organize a first Class Hotel Establishment under European management.

Applications for shares to be addressed till the 30th instant to

"The Promoters Poona Hotel Company (Limited)."
Care of F. L. Brown, Esq., Broker,
Rampart Row, Bombay.

NOTICES.

DEPOSITS received by the Financial Association of India and China (Limited) for

6 months' certain at 5 per cent.
6 „ „ at 7 „
12 „ „ at 8 „

When Money is deposited for a period of twelve months or more, the Interest will be payable at the option of the Depositor half-yearly.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A PORTUGUESE LEDGER CLERK. Apply to TREACHER & Co., (Limited.)
24th October 1864.

NOTICE.—MR. HANS PETER HANSSEN is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm.

Hong Kong, 1st July 1864. DENT & Co.

NOTICE.—The undersigned have this day established themselves in business as Merchants and Agents.

Temporary Offices, 12, Rampart Row.

MACCULLOCH, JOHN & Co.

Bombay, 22nd Oct. 1864.

NOTICE.—Consequent on the increase of Wages and Fuel, the rate for ICE is raised from NINE PIES to ONE ANNA per pound.

T. J. STOCKBRIDGE,
Manager, Patent Ice Company.

Girgaum, 1st October 1864.

TO CAPTAINS OF VESSELS AND THE PUBLIC.—For Ship Biscuits, Flour, Bread, Grinding of Corn, &c. apply at the Steam Bakery, Grant Road, near the Theatre.

NOTICE.—On and after the 1st November the business of the Agra and United Service Bank (Limited) will be carried on under the title of the Agra and Masterman's Bank (Limited.)

E. A. FLENDERS, Manager,
Agra and U. S. Bank (Limited.)

Bombay, 13th October 1864.

REWARD OF RUPEES FIVE THOUSAND.

WHEREAS it appears, that delays and stoppages frequently occur in the transmission of Messages by Electric Telegraph in India, and in particular between Galle and Bombay after the arrival at the former Port of the English Mail Steamer; and such delays can only be accounted for on the supposition that they are the result of fraud; the Bombay Chamber of Commerce hereby offers a reward of RUPEES FIVE THOUSAND to any one who will come forward and give such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the guilty parties.

A. G. GUMPERT, Chairman.
JAMES TAYLOR, Secretary.

Bombay, Chamber of Commerce, 21th October 1864.

MESSRS. HOWARD, SEVESTRE & Co., PRACTICAL, CONSULTING, and GENERAL ENGINEERING AGENTS.—Estimates given and plans made for Steam Engines, Brick Making, and Agricultural Machinery, Trains and every description of Gearing, Cotton Gins, &c. &c.

Apply either at the Fort Press Company's Works or at the Akbar Press Company's Works, Carnac Bunder.

MOURNING! MOURNING!! MOURNING!!!—The undersigned have just received a choice selection of Ebonite Goods, direct from Silver and Co., consisting of Bracelets, Necklets, Alberts, Watch Chains, Dressing and Pocket Combs, Drinking Mugs, and Tooth-picks. The Ebonite has the appearance of the finest Jet, on account of its elasticity, durability, and lightness, and its not being at all brittle.

HEARSON, COULSON & Co.

PROFESSOR EMILIO USIGLIO, Honorary Member of the Academy of Music and Fine Arts at Florence, Rome, &c. &c. &c., begs to inform the Public that he is prepared to give lessons on the Pianoforte and the Singing. Address, Professor USIGLIO, care of Mr. F. BOESINI, 38, Modow Street, Fort.

MISS AMALIA JACKSON, Prima Donna Assoluta of the Italian Opera, wishes to give Lessons in Singing and on the Pianoforte to Ladies of Bombay.

Miss JACKSON was a pupil at the Conservatoire of Paris, of the great professors Rodwil, Auber, and Halévy. At her debut in the Imperial Theatre of Rio di Janeiro she was received with enthusiasm, and similar honours have been paid her at La Fenice in Venice and Carlo Felice in Genoa.

For information as to terms apply by letter to Miss JACKSON, Adelphi Hotel, Byculla.

THORNHILL & Co., WATCHMAKERS, are constantly renewing their Stock of Gold and Silver Watches by McCabe, Thornhill Brothers, John Jones, and other eminent makers. Gold and Silver Geneyas, also Enamels and Nonpareil Dials, great variety.

Modow Street, Bombay. Established 1850.

TIFFINS! TIFFINS!! TIFFINS!!!—The best Tiffin in Bombay to be had at half-past one o'clock daily, at the Cambridge Hotel.

E. LARTER, Proprietor.

Also, a first-class Billiard Table.

MR. A. O'HEARA, Dentist to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, having received repeated applications to visit Bombay, has the pleasure to inform the Residents, that he may be expected in that Presidency in the beginning of December. As Mr. O'Meara is bound to return to Simla in April, his stay in Bombay will not extend over three months.

Simla, 8th September 1864.

THE EAST INDIA FINANCIAL ASSOCIATION (LIMITED.)—CAPITAL £1,000,000 IN 20,000 SHARES.—Messrs. LECKIE & Co. having been appointed Agents in Bombay for the abovenamed Company which has been established in England, hereby give notice, that they are prepared at once to transact the following business:—

To receive money on loan or deposit, to advance money on the security of Land or Houses, &c., already built or in course of erection, for the improvement, or cultivation of Lands, for the erection of Mills and private Works; and on Shares, Stocks, and Securities.

Further particulars may be obtained from the above named firm.

25th June 1864.

THE PRINCE OF WALES PRESS COMPANY (LIMITED.)—THIRD CALL OF Rs. 500 PER SHARE.—Notice is hereby given, that the Shareholders in the Company are required to pay a Third Call of Rupees Five Hundred (500) per share into the Office of the undersigned, on or before MONDAY, the 31st instant, failing which, Interest will be charged on all such unpaid Calls at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum.

LECKIE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

Bombay, 15th October 1864.

HOME EDUCATION FOR BOYS, AT ERSKINE MANSE, GLASGOW.—The Rev. Mr. MACKIE continues to receive a limited number of Gentlemen's Sons to be educated and prepared for College, Business, Civil or Military Service by a Resident Tutor and Visiting Masters. Peculiar advantages are afforded to Orphans or Boys whose Parents are abroad. Reference kindly permitted to Major James Henderson, Tanna.

ERSKINE MANSE, Glasgow, Scotland.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS OF OPIUM.—Shippers by this Company's Steamers are hereby warned that no Opium can be received on board bearing more than one mark, and that this mark must be legible and distinct, and must correspond with the one on the Shipping Order.

Much confusion has lately been caused by a practice, which has become common, of re-marking Chests which already bear other unobliterated marks and numbers, and in some instances Chests have been sent for shipment without any legible mark or number on them at all.

The ordinary difficulty in identifying cargo are easily observed, and it is hoped that shippers will in future be careful to make use of them, otherwise, as before stated, their cargo cannot be received.

ROBERT DUNDAS.
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, 6th September 1864.

NOTICE.—Tenders will be received at the Office of the Superintendent of Marine from persons willing to supply Sunn, Jummage for the conveyance from Mangalore to Calcutta, of about thirty tons of Amandavie Coir, be the same more or less.

2nd.—The Tenders must specify the rate per ton of (4) four Candies or two thousand two hundred and forty (2240) Pounds, and the time when the Vessel will be at Mangalore to receive the Coir.

3rd.—The Coir will be placed on board in bundles which must be properly dried, and be delivered at Calcutta in like good order according to weight.

4th.—The Master of the Vessel, or authorized Agent for the Owners at Mangalore, will be required to see the Coir weighed and the bundles counted, and to sign the Bills of Lading, or such other document issued with the lading of the article as the principal Collector of Mangalore may require of him.

5th.—The freight will be paid in Calcutta on the completion of the delivery of the Coir in conformity with the terms of the Bill of Lading.

6th.—The Superintendent of Marine reserves to himself the right of rejecting any Tender without assigning cause for so doing.

By order,
GEO. INGLE.
Secretary to the Superintendent of Marine
Superintendent's Office, Bombay, 9th August.

NOTICE.—On and after the 1st October next, the Fares for Transit through Egypt will be reduced to the undernoted rates:—

1st Class Passengers	.....	£2 10s.
2nd do. do.	.....	„ 1 5s.
Children and Servants	do. do.	

Children over 10 years of age to be considered as Adults.

Children between 3 and 10, to be charged half the above rates.

Children under 3 years, free.

Under these altered rates Passengers will have to pay for all refreshments supplied during the journey through Egypt; and the amount of Baggage allowed to them, free of charge, will be:—

1st Class Passengers	.....	80 lbs.
2nd do. do.	.....	50 „
Children paying half fare to be allowed half the above weights.		

Extra Baggage will be charged for at the rate of 18s. 6d. per cwt., and all charges on this account will be collected, as hitherto, on board the Steamers.

The allowance of Baggage on board the Steamers will be 5 cwt., as heretofore.

The above arrangements will take effect with Passengers leaving Bombay on the 1st or 15th of each September.

ROBERT DUNDAS,
Acting Superintendent P. and O. S. N. Company.

NOTICES.

BOMBAY CONTRACT AND BUILDING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL SIX LACS OF RUPEES WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

THE Company is prepared to enter into Contracts for Buildings, extensive Earthworks, and Reclamations, or any other work connected with the profession of Engineers or Contractors either for Government, Public Companies, or Individuals.

Plans, Specifications and Estimates drawn out if required.

By Order,
A. CUMMING, Secretary.

WESTERN INDIA SHIP COMPANY (LIMITED).—Notice is hereby given, that a SECOND CALL of Rs. 500 (Five hundred Rupees) per share is payable at the office of the undersigned, No. 12, Meadow Street, on or before 30th instant, after which date interest will be charged on all unpaid Calls at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum.

VOLKART BROTHERS, Managers and Treasurer.

Bombay, 8th Sept. 1864.

WESTERN INDIA SHIP COMPANY (LIMITED.)—Notice is hereby given, that all Shares upon which the Second Call of Rupees Five Hundred, with interest at 12 per cent. per annum, is not paid on or before the 16th November next, will be absolutely forfeited for the benefit of the Company.

VOLKART BROTHERS,
Managers and Treasurers.

12, Meadow Street, Bombay, 29th October 1864.

THE BOMBAY CITY BANK (LIMITED).—SECOND CALL.—Notice is hereby given, that a Second Call of Fifty Rupees (Rs. 50) per Share is payable at the Offices of the Bank, No. 2, Church Gate Street, on or before the 21st instant, after which date Interest will be charged on all unpaid Calls at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum.

For the Board of Directors,
T. R. R. DAVISON, Manager.

Bombay, 1st Sept., 1864.

THE BOMBAY CITY BANK (LIMITED).—SECOND CALL.—From this date and until further notice, Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum will be charged upon all unpaid Calls.

All Shares upon which the Second Call may not have been paid by the 21st October, proximo, will become liable to forfeiture.

By order of the Board,
T. R. R. DAVISON, Manager.

Bombay, 30th September 1864.

THE BOMBAY CITY BANK (LIMITED).—FORFEITURE OF SHARES.—Notice is hereby given, that all Shares in the above Bank upon which the Second Call with arreared interest may not have been paid at the Offices of the Bank, No. 2, Church Gate Street, on or before SATURDAY, the 5th November 1864, will be absolutely forfeited for the benefit of the Bank in conformity with Act XIX. of 1857 of the Legislative Council of India, and with the Articles of Association of the Bank.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ROBERT J. PRINGLE, Manager.

No. 40, Meadow Street, 17th Sept. 1864.

BOMBAY PRESIDENCY BANK (LIMITED.)—In pursuance of the Resolution passed at the General Meeting, August 9th, and confirmed at the Special General Meeting on 10th instant, Notice is hereby given, that Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum will, until further notice, be charged on all Second Calls remaining unpaid after the 15th instant.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ROBERT J. PRINGLE, Manager.

40, Meadows Street, 10th Sept. 1864.

EAST INDIA BANK.—Notice is hereby given, that a Third Call of Rs. 100 per Share has this day been made; and the same will be payable at the Offices of the Bank on the 21st October, after which date interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum will be charged on all Calls unpaid.

By order of the Board,
W. C. CURRIE, Acting Manager.

Bombay, 27th September 1864.

THE BOMBAY COMMERCIAL COMPANY (LIMITED.)—CAPITAL Rs. 10,00,000, IN 10,000 SHARES OF Rs. 100 EACH (WITH POWER TO INCREASE.)

The numerous Companies recently formed all aim at the sole end of making the rich still richer, while nothing has been done to benefit the poor and working population in the all-important item of food.

The main object of the "*Bombay Commercial Company (Limited)*" will be to supply this Market with Rice, Grain, and other requirements at the most uniform rate consistent with commercial enterprise; and the Directors feel assured that the results attending the Company's operations will be as profitable as humane considerations for the well-being of the labouring classes could desire.

Applications for Shares may be made to the Promoters at the Offices of Messrs. APPLETON & Co., 2, Bell Lane.

THE BRUNTON'S PATENT PRESS COMPANY, CALCUTTA, (LIMITED).—NOTICE.—Scrip Certificates are ready for delivery on presentation of Banker's Receipt for First Call. C. J. ROBINSON & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers, Madras Board.

Madras, 29th September 1864.

THE BRUNTON'S PATENT PRESS COMPANY, MADRAS, (LIMITED.)—NOTICE.—Share Certificates are now ready for issue, and will be delivered to Shareholders on presentation of Scrip Certificates and Banker's Receipt for Second Call.

C. J. ROBINSON & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

Madras, 29th September 1864.

FORT PRESS COMPANY (LIMITED.)—Notice is hereby given, that a Call of Rs. 250 on new issue of quarter Shares, is payable at the Office of the Secretaries, Bruce Lane, No. 1, on or before the 15th November, after which date, interest will be charged on all unpaid Calls at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum.

It is requested that the Shareholders should produce their Share Certificates, when applying for the new quarter Share.

By order of the Board of Directors,
EWART, LATHAM & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

Bombay, 17th October.

BANK OF AHMEDABAD (LIMITED.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a first Call of (Rupees 50) Fifty per Share is payable on execution of the Articles of Association, which will be ready for Signature at the Bank's Office, at Ahmedabad, on and after the 31st instant.

All persons, who shall not have signed the Articles of Association before the 10th November next, will be considered to have surrendered their right to the Shares allotted to them.

NOWROSJEE PESTONJEE,
Ahmedabad, 7th October 1864. For the Manager.

THE BECHURDASS SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a First Call of (Rupees 250) Two Hundred and Fifty per Share is payable on execution of the Articles of Association, which will be ready for Signature at the Company's Office, at Ahmedabad, on and after the 1st November next.

All persons, who shall not have signed the Articles of Association before the 20th November next, will be considered to have surrendered their right to the Shares allotted to them.

NOWROSJEE PESTONJEE, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that persons desirous of undertaking a contract for cutting and conveying Timber, for Sawing, Blackwood or Saul, Shallow Draft Vessels, per sheet, from the Seasons, Ain or Sadra, Hulliedan Dung Forests to Government Timber Depot at Bulsar, are requested to send their applications to this office at Bulsar or Surat, on or before the 15th proximo, also stating the rate per Candy at which they are willing to supply the said Timbers, &c.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

H. BARRETT,
Assist. Conservator of Forests in Surat and Northern Collectorates.

Assistant Conservator's Office, Surat, 18th Oct. 1864.

EAST INDIA BANK.—A Special General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the Bank on FRIDAY, the 4th November, at 3 P. M., to confirm the Resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting held on the 19th September, viz:—

"That the number of Directors be increased from five to eight."

By order of the Board,
W. C. CURRIE, Acting Manager.

Bombay, 22nd October 1864.

FORT PRESS COMPANY (LIMITED).—Notice is hereby given, that the Property of the above Company will be offered for Sale by Auction, on Saturday, Monday, and Tuesday, the 29th and 31st inst. and 1st proximo, on account of the DEWALLEE HOLIDAYS.

By order of the Board of Directors,
JOHN SMITH, Secretary.

Bombay, 24th Oct. 1864.

BOMBAY CONTRACT BUILDING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

THE holders of those shares on which the Second and Third calls have not been paid, are hereby informed, that if the above Calls of 50 Rs. each, together with the interest accruing thereon, are not paid before the 10th November 1864 into the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, they will be liable to forfeiture.

By order of the Directors,
A. CUMMING, Secretary.

21st October 1864.

LONDON AND BOMBAY BANK AND GENERAL FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE AGENCY CORPORATION, (LIMITED).—Notice is hereby given, that no Deposits on account of the Allotment of Shares of this Bank will be received by the Bank of Hindustan, China, and Japan, (Limited), after the 27th inst.

The Memorandum and Articles of Association with the fee signature at the Office of Messrs. BICKERSTETH, CLEVELAND, and PEILE, up to the 28th idem only.

By order of the Committee of Direction at Bombay.
Apollo Street, No. 6, 24th October 1864.

THE FINANCIAL ASSOCIATION OF INDIA AND CHINA (LIMITED.)

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LONDON AND BOMBAY BANK AND GENERAL FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE AGENCY CORPORATION (LIMITED).—Notice is hereby given, that an extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above Bank will be held at their Office, No. 6, Apollo Street, Fort, on THURSDAY, the 3rd November, (proximo,) for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors.

ALEX. McEWEN,
Chairman of the Committee of Directors in Bombay.
Apollo Street, No. 6, 26th October 1864.

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, (LIMITED.)—Incorporated under Acts XIX. of 1857 and VII. of 1860 of the Legislative Council of India.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, ONE HUNDRED LACS OF RUPEES (ONE MILLION STERLING).

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, RUPEES 50,00,000 (£500,000).

Head Office, Calcutta.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

William Anderson, Esq., of Messrs. Gordon, Stuart & Co.
George Miller Fleming, Esq., of Messrs. Hoare, Miller & Co.
Charles Edmonds Cromwell, Esq., of Messrs. Wm. Moran & Co.
Ferdinand Schiller, Esq., of Messrs. Borradaile, Schiller & Co.
Baboo Doorga Churn Laet, of Messrs. Prawkissen Law & Co.
Baboo Hemchunder Seal, Zemindar.
Baboo Poorna Chunder Sen, Merchant.
M. Rassomjee, Esq., Merchant.
Standing Counsel.—C. B. Cowie, Esq., Advocate-General.
THOS. A. JONES, Agent.

Bombay, 20th October 1864.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that NAGUBEEBAEE, Widow of the late Hurjeebun N. Mody, and Atmaram Sookha, of same Bay, Hindoo Inhabitants, have contracted and agreed to sell to KHATHEE MOOLEE WALLEE, also of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, all that plot or parcel of Land or Ground, situate at Fort, near Elphinstone Circle, within the Fort of Bombay, containing by measurement eleven thousand three hundred and three square yards or thereabouts, and registered in the Books of the Collector of Bombay for Rents on Lease under No. 9836, for the term of all kind of trees and shrubs standing and being thereon, or on any part thereof; and is bounded, as follows (that is to say), on or towards the East by the property of Byramjee Cowasjee, on or towards the West by the property of the said Trustees of the Port of Bombay, commonly known as Nowroze Mahomla, on or towards the North by the churchyard, burying ground, and on or towards the South by the property of the late Maroba Yemajeebhoy. All persons having any rights, title, claim or demand, or pretending under or out of the said property or any part to be sold as aforesaid or any part thereof, by way of Mortgage, Hypothecation, Gift, Lease, or otherwise, are hereby required to make the same known to the undersigned at the Solicitors for the purchaser at their Office, No. 25, Medow Street, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise they will be peremptorily therefrom, and the parties will proceed without further reference to such claims.—Dated this 26th day of October 1864.

C. E. AND F. STANGER LEATHES,
Solicitors for the purchaser, KHAREE MOOLEE WALLEE.

POSTAL NOTICE

OVERLAND MAIL.

The Overland Mail, per P. and O. Co's Steamer Malabar will be closed on SATURDAY, the 29th October 1864, at 7 o'clock P.M. An additional Mail will be despatched on the 31st October, and letters will be posted by Steamer and P. & O. Registered Letters will be received until 6 P.M. on the 31st.

CHINA MAIL.

The Post Office Packet for Penang, Singapore, and Hongkong per P. & O. Co's Steamer Salsette will be closed on FRIDAY, 28th October 1864, at 6 o'clock P.M. A packet for late letters will be despatched per Steamer Ava, on SUNDAY, 30th October, at 6 P.M. The Australia Mail will be despatched on 31st October.

MAILS FOR KURRACHEE (SCINDE).

Mails for Kurrachee and Intermediate Ports per Steamer Berenice will be closed at the Post Office at 6 P.M. on the 31st October.

CALENDAR.—OCT.—NOV., 1864.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

First Quarter, Monday 3rd	8h. 30m. P.	Full Moon, Sunday 16th	10h. 18m. A.
Last Quarter, Monday 31st	10h. 7m. A.	New Moon, Tuesday 1st Nov.	2h. 7m. P.

Days.	Dates.	Sundays, Festivals, &c.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	High Water, Bombay Time.	
					Morn.	Even.
Thur.	27	Mercury sets at 1h. 7m.	6h. 4m.	5h. 49m.	9h. 0m.	9h. 27m.
Fri.	28	St. Simon.	6 5	5 48	9 45	10 12
Sat.	29	St. Jude.	6 6	5 47	10 30	10 57
Sun.	30	23rd Sunday after Trinity.	6 6	5 46	11 15	11 42
Mon.	31	All Hallow's Eve.	6 7	5 45	11 59	0 26
Tues.	1	All Saints.	6 8	5 44	0 43	1 10
Wed.	2	All Souls.	6 9	5 43	1 28	1 55

DURING the temporary absence of the Managing Proprietor in England, Mr. THOMAS GRAHAM *is authorised to grant receipts and recover monies on account of this Office.*

MACLEAN and CHARMAN.
Bombay Gazette Office, 9th Sept., 1864.

THE BOMBAY ALMANACK AND DIRECTORY FOR 1865.

THE Publishers of this Directory are anxious to obtain a correct list of Names of the European Inhabitants of the Bombay Presidency for publication in the forthcoming issue. This can, however, be accomplished only by individuals, whose names are interested themselves in the proper Directory, forwarding us with their correct names and addresses: and those individuals whose names are omitted therefrom, and persons unwilling to have forwarding them to us, will thus greatly oblige the general public in enabling us to obtain what is a desideratum in Bombay—a reliable list of the names of European Inhabitants.

Bombay Gazette Office, Fort, Bombay, 4th October 1864.

LATEST DATES RECEIVED.

ADEN	Oct. 7	KURRACHEE	Oct. 12
AKYAB	Oct. 15	LONDON	Sept. 13
ALLAHABAD	Oct. 20	MADRAS	Oct. 19
AUSTRALIA	Aug. 30	MAURITIUS	Sept. 30
ALEXANDRIA	Sept. 30	MALABAR	Oct. 20
BANGALORE	Oct. 18	MALTA	Sept. 19
CALCUTTA	Oct. 20	MARGUI	Oct. 15
CAPE	Sept. 16	MOULMEIN	Oct. 15
CEYLON	Oct. 11	PENANG	Oct. 5
COCANADA	Oct. 15	POONAH	Oct. 20
COCHIN	Oct. 10	RANGOON	Sept. 28
DELHI	Oct. 20	SIAM	Sept. 10
FRANCE	Sept. 30	SURAT	Oct. 20
HONGKONG	Oct. 27	SINGAPORE	Oct. 5

The Bombay Gazette.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1864.

THE *Times of India* had something more to say yesterday about the sale of English telegrams. Our contemporary, in his eagerness to make out a case of "dishonest conduct" against us, assigns much more importance to the concession by Government to the press of a right of precedence for their telegrams than can fairly be claimed for it. In the first place, the concession does not affect in any way the telegrams which come to us by our own mail and which do not pass along any Indian line of telegraph. It will, we presume, hardly be disputed that these messages at least are our own property, and that, when we get them, we are at liberty to publish them or to destroy them, to sell them or to give them away, without having previously asked for and obtained leave to do so from Government, the Chamber of Commerce, and the *Times of India*. It may be a "peculiar weakness" of ours to take this view of our rights of private property; but, if anybody conceives himself to be wronged by it, we shall be happy to hear what there is to be said on the other side. Like Mr. Micawber's creditors, we are not exacting, but we think it is only natural that we should claim what is our own. If this be granted, there remains only for consideration the question what return the Bombay press is bound to make to the Government for the concession of a right of precedence for its Galle telegrams. This concession has been for months and months past practically worthless. The signallers at Galle pay not the slightest attention to the rule that press messages shall have precedence, as was proved very clearly on Sunday last, when several private messages came through before the line was interrupted, and our own telegrams were delayed till Tuesday morning. But, supposing that the concession were real, and that we gained certain advantages by it, under what obligations would it place us? The *Times of India*, in a fit of generosity, chooses to assume that the telegrams to which precedence is given become forthwith the property of the public, and with wonderful magnanimity proposes that all press telegrams shall be opened and posted on the door of the Telegraph Office as soon as they are received. Fairly and softly, good brother. We congratulate you on your new-born morality—reformed rakes are always the most virtuous of men—but before we can consent to any such arrangement we must require the Government to do something else besides giving press telegrams precedence, namely, pay for them. All that the concession now granted as binds us to do is to give our telegrams to the public without loss of time. This compact we invariably fulfil to the best of our power; and we are quite content to abide by the verdict of public opinion in Bombay in the question whether the *Gazette* or the *Times of India* generally publishes the English telegrams first. But, as we have already pointed out, some time must necessarily elapse before the news can possibly be printed, especially if the telegrams come in during the night; and during this interval we are pestered with applications from scores of people for the latest news. We are therefore forced, in self-defence, to make a charge for giving this information to strangers. The *Times of India*, it would appear, intends henceforth to give every one the news without charge. This will not suffice to make its telegrams public property, so long as Mr. Manockjee Pestonjee Tuback, the broker of the principal cotton speculators in Bombay, is the agent invariably employed to wait for and receive them at the Telegraph Office; but it will put to the test the correctness of our conduct in selling the *Gazette* telegrams. For it is obvious that, if early news be all that is sought, men will not be such fools as to continue to give us so much a month for intelligence which they can get for nothing at the *Times of India* office. If, therefore, the subscribers to our telegrams drop off, the supposed evil will cure itself; if, on the other hand, they determine to go on paying our monthly charge, the conclusion cannot be resisted that they do so because they have no faith in the "Malta" and "Alexandria" telegrams of the *Times of India*, and prefer paying a high price for the unadorned but honest telegrams of the *Bombay Gazette* to getting for nothing what is worth nothing.

SOME of our contemporaries are beginning to find out, too late in the day, not indeed that the contract concluded by Government with the Bombay Reclamation Company was in itself a gigantic job—that is a revelation yet to come—but that the immense powers of "potential bribery" (that, we think, is the *Poona Observer's* delicate phrase) enjoyed by the Promoters have been used in a way which to say the least demands that a strict official enquiry should be made into the truth of the stories current regarding the allotment of the shares. Our Poona contemporary, whose assistance would have been more valuable had he come to our aid when we were fighting the battle single-handed against the united forces of the servants of Government and the leading capitalists of Bombay, differs in opinion, we are glad to find, from that most moral of public journals, the *Times of India*, which, with scandalous and disgusting levity, speaks of it as a good joke that a Secretary to Government should "feather his nest" in the Share Market in these hard times. We would not, however, be misunderstood. Any servant of Government may, without acting wrongly, invest his savings by taking shares in the Back Bay or any other Company, provided that he can do so without justly exposing himself to the suspicion of having received an allotment as a reward for using his influence with the Government to obtain undue favours for the Company. It is obvious that this rule would preclude a Secretary to Government from taking shares in any scheme of which the success depended, directly or indirectly, on the nature of the report upon it which his duty, as Secretary in any particular Department, required him to submit to Government. Mr. Anderson, against whom an outcry is now raised because he had five Back Bay shares allotted to him, is unjustly blamed for accepting them, inasmuch as he was away in Calcutta while the negotiations were going on between Government and the Promoters of the Back Bay Job, and knew nothing of the matter except what was known to the outside public. The two officials through whose favourable recommendations to Government it fell about that the Job grew and prospered were Mr. Robertson and Colonel Rivers. The latter refused to take shares; the former, by common report pocketed ten, and we have had reason to doubt the correctness of the statement made by us some time ago that the Government or Bombay had ordered him to return them to the Promoters. Curiously enough, however, the share list, which is tolerably thickly strewn with the names of servants of Government, contains no record of the supposed allotment to Mr. Robertson; and, if he has been unjustly accused, the Government he serves is bound to take steps to clear him from the aspersions that have been cast upon his character. The *Poona Observer* writes very sensibly on the injurious consequences of the existence in the public mind of even a suspicion that high Government officers are not inaccessible to the sweet influences of "potential bribery." Why did not our contemporary speak out his mind a fortnight ago, before Mr. Robertson went to England, instead of waiting till this gentleman, whose name has had more contemptuous mention, in connexion with the Back Bay Job, than that of any other Government servant, had left the country?

SIR JOHN LAWRENCE AT LAHORE.

INVESTITURE OF THE RAJAH OF KUPPORTHULLA WITH THE STAR OF INDIA.

(*From our own Correspondent.*)

LAHORE, 19th OCTOBER.

The Investiture of the Rajah of Kuppoorthulla with the Star of India took place on Monday evening, the 17th, in Government House. A very large assemblage of Civil and Military Officers, and of gentlemen not in the service of Government, filled the entire space allotted to spectators. As a Knight of the Order, the Maharajah of Cashmere was seated on the left of the Viceregal Dais. Beyond His Highness, and on the same side of the Dais, seats were provided for the European Officers and others. The Rajah of Kuppoorthulla was seated on the right of the Viceregal Dais. On the same side, seats were placed for Native Chiefs. From right to left the front row of chairs stood in semi-circular form, the Viceregal Dais being in the centre of the arc, so to speak.

In front of the Dais, and about twenty feet from it, the Insignia of the Order were placed "on a cushion made of blue velvet and white satin." They were, for the time, the principal objects of interest, and "Have you seen the Star?" was the question the spectators put to each other.

Punctual to time, the Viceroy and Governor General entered the scene of the Investiture. He wore the light blue and white robe of the Order. Preceded by his officers of state, Sir John Lawrence came walking in, his face as hard and stern as ever, and his gait and manner like those of a man who had made up his mind to go through a host, to be stopped by no obstacle whatever, to knock over any person who stood in his way. He took his seat on the Dais under a salute of 21 guns, and lost no time in opening the ceremony with a speech in Hindoostanee, of which the following is a version in English.—

The speech was given in yesterday's *Gazette*.

The Viceroy then placed the Ribbon and Collar on the Rajah's neck, and delivered to him the Star. To His Excellency's speech the newly-appointed Knight replied in suitable terms. It was a sight worth seeing, the Rajah of Kuppoorthulla standing before the Viceregal Dais expressing the sense of obligation for the high honour conferred on him, and Sir John Lawrence sitting in state with his severe face turned full upon the speaker, listening attentively, and with searching look, to every word spoken.

Little now remained to be done. The rules prescribe that, after the Investiture, the Viceroy and Governor General will move from the Dais to the place of the Knight, shake hands with and congratulate him; and also that "the other Knights present as spectators do the same."

The ceremonies and the Maharajah of Cashmere, the latter the only Knight present as a spectator, acted accordingly to these rules, and the ceremony, which was very short, was ended.

In returning from the Investiture I had more time to see the show outside than I could spare when I passed through the grounds of Government House on my way to the ceremony. The serpentine carriage drive from the entrance gate to the portico was lined with troops. Two regiments of Native Infantry and the 98th Regiment furnished the guard of honour. The bands of each of these corps and of the 93rd Highlanders were in attendance. The band and the pipers of the 93rd played alternately in the middle of a verdant grass-plot. On the public road outside large crowds of people were congregated to see the Rajahs and Chiefs going to and returning from the Investiture; and mingled in the crowd were the usual complement of elephants, camels, and horses. Our own Police rendered their usual good service on the occasion. The whole affair went off with great eclat.

In the evening, the Lieutenant-Governor's reception took place in the "John Lawrence Hall." The supper was served in a spacious tent adjoining the building. Those who partook of Sir Robert Montgomery's hospitality passed a delightful evening. The music and singing were superlative. Two bands were in attendance, the band of the 93rd and the Anarkullee Civil Band. The pipers played during supper time. After supper several toasts were given and heartily responded to. The entertainment lasted till about 12 o'clock.

As I have not yet received the Viceroy's speech at the grand public durbar yesterday, I must reserve my account of that ceremony for my next letter. I expect the speech to-day. I sent you a telegram immediately on my return from the durbar, communicating the main points and intimating that the ceremony went off well.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

(*Private Telegrams.*)

From London through Galle, 21st October, to Bombay.

Fair Dhollera, firmer; 19d.
Manchester Goods, dull.
Copper, £103.
Linseed, unchanged.
Peace in America, no prospect here.
Bank rate, 9 per cent.
Business more healthy.

[No London date is given to this message; which is however, as we can vouch, genuine and from Reuter.]

(*By Electric Telegraph.*)

GALLE, 22nd October.

Steamer *Orient* sailed for China.

MADRAS, 25th October.

Steamer *Sarah* sailed for Calcutta.
Steamer *Queen of the South* sailed for Calcutta.

NEGAPATAM, 25th October.

Steamer *India*, from Madras anchored.

KURRACHEE, 25th October.

Steamer *Euphrates* sailed for Bombay.

MADRAS, 25th October.

Steamer *Concordia* from Bombay anchored.

THE *Englishman* (October 20th):—The following are the particulars of the Opium Sale held at the Exchange Rooms yesterday:—

	Chests.	Highest.	Lowest.	Average.	Proceeds.
Behar	2,430	1,005	1,005	1009-15-7	25,02,675
Benares	1,995	999	995	941-3-4	17,55,825

THE same:—"The Government has authorised a subsistence allowance to the Shan refugees in Burmah, so long as they remain quiet and give no cause of complaint."

THE same:—"The Nawab of Tonk, who died on the 19th of September, has been succeeded by his son Mohammad Ali Khan. The sum of Rs. 12,500 per month, paid to his father as a subsidy, ceases henceforth."

THE same:—"The French ship *St. Joseph* has arrived in the river and brings the intelligence that she met with very bad weather on the 3rd and 4th instant, about 150 miles south of the Pilot station. She picked up fifty men belonging to the Arab ship *Inspector*, and the Pilot Mr. Wall, on the evening of the 5th, about fifty miles off. The *Inspector* must have gone down in the Cyclone."

THE *Indian Daily News*:—"The subjoined list of passengers that left Rangoon per Steamer *Persia*, 951 tons, P. Lowen, Commander, ex Akyab, is taken from the *Rangoon Times*, October 4th:—

"*Passengers supposed to be for Akyab.*

"Lieut.-Col. A. P. Phayre, C. B., Dr. Ford Major McKellar, Capt. Forsyth, Lieut. O'Rooncke, Mrs. Brown and infant, Miss French and Mrs. Kelly.

"*Supposed to be for Calcutta.*

"Canto, Salmon and Caulfield, Messrs. J. C. Tod, H. Hyde, R. T. Savage, Moultrie, F. W. Brown, Kenridge and Schmidt, Surgeon Davis, wife and 3 children, 6 Europeans, Moung Toon Gung, and about 50 deck passengers.—Clough from Akyab."

The *Burmah* has arrived at Rangoon; all well.

THE same:—"Captain G. Austin, of the Engineers, who, as we stated the other day, accompanies Brigadier-General Sir Hugh Rose's force into Bhootan (*Bootan* as Topographical Surveyor, is the officer who accompanied Mr. Eden's Mission to the Capital of Bhootan in the early part of the year, and he has, consequently, some knowledge of the Bhootan country, though only from the Darjeeling route to the Capital, with respect to which he made all the observations which were practicable as the Mission advanced. A new Map of the *Dooars* and of Bhootan is now in course of preparation at the Surveyor General's Office, and will, we understand, be ready for issue in a few days. We should think that this Map will be but a meagre one, as we have not heard that any new topographical information, in addition to that previously at the command of the Surveyor-General's Office, has been obtained."

DETAILED NEWS FROM ENGLAND TO THE 28th SEPTEMBER.

THE *Sultan*, Captain Stewart, from Mauritius and Aden, anchored in our harbour yesterday. She brings English papers to the 26th ult.

HEADS OF INTELLIGENCE.

(*From the Home News, Sept. 28.*)

Lee's and Grant's armies are confronting each other at Reams' Station, on the Weldon Railroad, and a battle there, of a terrible character, is said to be imminent.

Sherman's army is encamped around Atlanta. General Hood is strongly entrenched about 30 miles distant, at Lovejoy's Station.

Admiral Farragut is closing up the rear with the Confederates had sunk across the Mobile channel. It has been announced that Mobile had surrendered.

General M'Clellan had accepted the nomination for President. He declares for the Union at all hazards. The Democratic peace party asserts that it will not support his election.

A convention just concluded between France and Italy is said to stipulate that Florence shall be fixed on as the future capital of Italy, that no attack on the part of the king of Italy shall be made on Rome, and that the French troops shall be gradually withdrawn from that city.

The proposal to make Florence the future capital of Italy, in accordance with the Franco-Italian convention, has led to serious riots in Turin, eventuating in the resignation of the ministry. A new ministry had been formed under the presidency of General della Marmora.

France has announced to the Roman court the nature of the convention concluded with Italy.

The Prussian government has indicated a desire to come to terms with the representative Chamber.

Captain Speke has been buried in a vault under the church of Dowlish Wake, near Ilminster.

It is asserted that the two great German Powers are about to arrange with the Federal Diet as to the future government of the Duchies.

The new Spanish Ministry has announced a conciliatory policy. The Cortes has been dissolved. The new elections are to take place in November.

The Emperor of Russia has issued five decrees relative to the government of Poland. They provide for the public instruction of the people. The national language is to be preserved, and the penal code modified.

In Mexico, Juarez had been driven from Monterey. Cortinas had been defeated by the French, who, it was expected, would soon occupy Matamoras.

The Pope has addressed an encyclical letter to the British bishops, stigmatising the Russian government for its persecution of the Catholic Church before heaven and earth for its cruelties and excesses. It also reminds the Catholics of their duty to obey all civil authorities.

The Dutch Chambers have been opened by the king in person. His Majesty congratulated the members on the prosperous state of the country and the colonies.

The Swiss National Council has ratified the treaty of commerce with France. The Federal Chambers have been opened.

The Prince and Princess of Wales have visited Stockholm, where they will remain for a few days. Their subsequent stay in Copenhagen will be limited to a week, when it is said, they will proceed to Paris.

The betrothal of the Czarewitch Nicholas with the Princess Dagmar is now stated to be determined on.

The British Association has closed its sittings at Bath.

The Social Science Congress has met at York; its opening was inaugurated by a speech from Lord Brougham.

A special commission to try the Belfast rioters is about to be held.

Two immense fires have occurred in the metropolis, involving a loss of upwards of half a million sterling.

The colliers' strike in the black country still continues.

The new Albert Orphan Asylum for destitute children is now completed.

It is said that several of the largest cotton mills and weaving sheds in Blackburn are about to be placed on short time.

The Speaker has issued his writ for the election of a member for Hastings.

The following names appear in the obituary of the week:—[illegible] Army; Colonel W. Seymour, Retired List, Bombay Army—Lieut.-Colonel R. Richards, Retired List, Bombay Army.

Miscellaneous: Rev. J. [illegible]vor—Commander T. Colby—Walter Savage Landor—[illegible]

GENERAL SUMMARY.

A FIRST step has at length been made towards a solution of the Italian difficulty. For some days a rumour has been in circulation that the Emperor of the French and the King of Italy had come to an agreement respecting the French occupation of Rome; but all doubt upon the subject was removed by an official article in the 'Constitutionnel' of Sept. 22, stating the actual terms of the convention agreed upon. First of all, the kingdom of Italy is not to have Rome for her capital. The French troops are indeed to be withdrawn during the course of the next two years, gradually, so as to allow the Pope to organise an army sufficient for the protection of his government, but not for aggression; and this army may be composed of foreigners; but by the present, at least, Italy must be content with Florence. The present for the removal of the seat of government from Turin to Florence is found in the recent meetings of the Emperor of Austria and King of Prussia at Kissengen and Carlsbad, where it is supposed that Austria obtained a promise of assistance in her meditated aggression on her Southern neighbour as the price of her acquiescence in the spoliation of Denmark by her ally; and to a coup-de-main on the part of Austria Turin is peculiarly exposed. But indeed the stately Florence, the city of the Medici, already the capital of the arts, of much historical associations, holding a central position with respect to the new kingdom, and built on the banks of the Arno, is a far more suitable capital for the rising kingdom than a gloomy and insalubrious city of ruins, whose only reconmendation is a sentimental one. History does not repeat itself; and Italian patriots are much mistaken if they suppose that the destinies of modern Italy are to emulate those of ancient Rome. Italy has a very good chance of becoming a flourishing second-rate Power; but if Rome were fifty times her capital she can never expect to be again the mistress of the world. Her best stipulated that the King of Italy is to guarantee the Pontifical government from foreign attack, implying that he is not to attack it himself; and that Italy shall assume a part of the Roman national debt proportional to the States of the Church which she acquired in the late war.

The Convention has been favourably received throughout the country, except at Turin, which, naturally enough, objects to return to the position of a provincial town after having for several years held that of the capital of a great country. Riots have occurred in the streets, but they have been quelled by the military; not, however, without the sacrifice of several lives.

The Conference at Vienna is prevented from coming to a speedy agreement, simply because neither party wishes to agree. Prussia is in possession of the Duchies and Jutland, and thinks that every day she holds them adds something to her final chance of retaining them altogether. Denmark, on the other hand, can hardly be worse off than she is, and trusts to the chapter of accidents to mend her position. The Danish population of Northern Schleswig are petitioning against being transferred against their will to a Germanic Power, bent upon obliterating their nationality; and this is a point upon which France is likely to be sensitive. The sympathies of England Denmark knows to be with her. But if prudence should prevail to prevent the great Powers from interfering, and the question should again pass from negotiation to the arbitrament of arms, she hopes to delay the catastrophe till spring, when the war must be chiefly on her own element, and her cruisers will be able to sweep German commerce from the seas. Austria, having every reason to wish for a settlement of the question, proposes that Denmark should pay a round sum once for all in liquidation of the claims of the Duchies on the national assets. Meanwhile the Prince and Princess of Wales are winning golden opinions and hearty cheers from the Danes by their affability. It shows becoming spirit in the heir apparent to the throne of England to visit his young wife's relations in their hour of adversity; but it would be well for the Danes to lay it to heart that the foreign policy of England is not biassed by the personal sympathies or antipathies of the Royal Family.

It is to be feared that the late successes of Admiral Farragut at Mobile and General Sherman at Atlanta will diminish the chances of a peaceful solution of the American difficulty. The successes of the Federals are, indeed, far from decisive. Farragut has only taken from the outward defences of Mobile, and Sherman is forced to remain inactive in Atlanta, far from his base of operations, his communications threatened by Wheeler and Forrest, and his still unconquered enemy entrenched thirty miles to the South. At the present breathing time the excitement to fan into a flame the enthusiasm of the Yankees for a war, the hardships of which are borne by Irish and Germans while they reap the profits in the shape of army contracts and enhanced prices of produce. The effect of the turning tide of success may be observed in the increased confidence of Mr. Lincoln's supporters, and the wavering tenor of General M'Clellan's manifesto. Mr. Seward, at Auburn, asserts the determination of the Republican party to vote, or, if necessary, to fight, Mr. Lincoln into office; and when it is recollected that one of the articles of Chicago platform declared determination of the Democrats to resist military interference with the elections by force, it seems not unlikely that the impending election in November may give rise to a second civil war in which Democrats and Republicans will be the belligerents. But Mr. Seward's utterances are not to be taken for more than they are worth. Among other startling assertions he said that there would be no necessity for enforcing the conscription, as the volunteers who were pouring in daily would be abundantly sufficient to make up the draft of 500,000 men required by Mr. Lincoln; but in two or three days after, his colleague, Mr. Stanton, declared that the conscription would be rigorously enforced. Mr. Seward throws off the mask with respect to slavery, and offers to restore to the South their peculiar domestic institution, which has been abolished as far as the Presidential proclamation could abolish it, and even to guarantee it with further securities. General M'Clellan, in his manifesto, accepts the nomination of the Convention of Chicago, but not its platform. Of the proposed armistice and general convention of the States he says nothing, but announces his policy to consist in the restoration of the Union and of the constitution as it existed before Mr. Lincoln's election. As far, therefore, as words go, there seems to be little difference between the policy of Lincoln and that of M'Clellan; that if M'Clellan were elected, he would probably be obliged to adopt a more pacific tone, in deference to opinions of his constituents. Whether a bolder assertion of those opinions would not have been more likely to secure their zealous support, is a question. A great battle is said to be impending between Lee and Grant; and upon the issue of this, and the success or failure of the Federal arms in other quarters, probably depends the all-important Presidential election. Meanwhile the war is assuming a more savage character every day. Desperate acts of Federals are laying waste a fair and fertile plain of Virginia, burning homesteads, and ravaging, it is said, the country of the sepoys in the Indian rebellion when caught by the Confederates they receive no quarter. The difficulty of settling the questions which arise with respect to negro prisoners, whom the Federals are bound to protect as soldiers, but whom the Confederates punish as domestic traitors, prevents the exchange of prisoners. The redoubted Captain Semmes is said to be again in command of the Alabama. Speculation is equally rife as to the movements of the Florida.

There has been a change of Ministry in Spain. On the resignation of the ministers, Narvaez was sent for, at the suggestion of Marshal O'Donnell, to form a Cabinet, and has been so far successful. M. Gonzales Bravo has accepted the Ministry of the Interior, and there are rumours afloat that Queen Christina is to return to Spain. These circumstances indicate a reactionary policy.

While the British Association for the Promotion of Science has been holding its meeting at Bath under Sir Charles Lyell, Lord Brougham is presiding at a meeting of the Association for the Promotion of Social Science at York. None has yet been able to define social science, but it seems to mean this—about things in general anything you like in particular. It was invented by Lord Brougham—it is the child, in fact, of his old age, and it is the object, therefore, of his especial affection. Among the topics discussed by the monomaniac philanthropists were schools for the middle classes, the rights of women, penny postage, savings banks, poisons, light-houses, the wrongs of Denmark, the slave-trade, extradition treaties, the colonies, private acts of Parliament, and a host of other subjects—many, indeed, so called kindred, but equally diverse. Here, in fact, is the process of discussion; and the first lecturer was Sir James Wilde, who discoursed upon Law Reform, and was listened to by a large auditence of ladies, who recognised in him, no doubt, one of the protectors of their sex, a knight errant in a long wig, whose vocation it is to redress their wrongs. Mr. Laing, the ex-Indian Minister, has been lecturing the people of York on the finances of India—subject with which he is, no doubt, thoroughly acquainted, but which needs but a hard-headed Scotch audience could listen to. The very sight of the last lines of figures in the 'Times' report is enough to [illegible]

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

AMERICA.

THE military news received from New York this morning comes down to September 16, and is unimportant. The accounts from Petersburg continue to state that Grant and Lee are occupied with preparations for an immediate conflict.

Sheridan is still held at Berryville by Early.

General Sherman reports on the 9th Sept. that his army was concentrated at Atlanta. Communication between Murfreesborough and Chattanooga had been restored. Sherman had ordered all white inhabitants to leave Atlanta, and had arranged an armistice with Hood for the transfer to the Confederate lines of those who refuse to take the oaths of allegiance to the Federal governments; all others will be sent north. The Confederate General Wheeler was retiring. It was reported that Mosby had been killed in a duel, and that General Price was dead.

Generals Grant and Sherman had urgently appealed to the government for more men, and publicly recommend immediate enforcement of the draft. Mr. Stanton officially announced that the drawings would be commenced on September 16.

General M'Clellan's letter of acceptance of the Chicago nomination has caused a split in the Democratic party. The peace section declare that he has accepted the nomination without the platform; that he does not represent the sentiments of the convention, and that it will not support his election. The leading peace organ, the 'New York Daily News,' asserts that measures are on foot to reassemble the convention and nominate a new ticket. The 'New York World' congratulates the Democrats on being free of the peace party.

The Republican ticket has been elected in Maine.

The steamers Old Dominion and City of Petersburg have arrived at Halifax, from Wilmington, with 1500 bales of cotton for England, reported to be for payment of the Confederate Loan. The Tallahassee was expected to leave Wilmington on the 9th of September, and also the steamer *Edista*, reported to be heavily armed, will leave there shortly.

The 'Richmond Enquirer' says the true road to peace lies in an offensive and defensive alliance of the North and South against the world, with separate governments for domestic affairs.

ITALY.

Telegrams from Turin of yesterday's date announce the city as perfectly tranquil. Patrols traversed the streets, and troops had been stationed before the royal palace as a precautionary measure.

Advices from Turin to September 23 state that after the events of the preceding evening, the ministry declared to the king that they were ready to retire from their posts should his majesty think such a step necessary for the pacification of the city. They added that they had not previously resigned, as they did not wish to appear to avoid the responsibility. The king thereupon formally requested the ministry to send in their resignations. General della Marmora was ordered to form a new cabinet, which he succeeded in effecting. The new ministry is composed as follows:—

President of the Council and Minister for Foreign Affairs, General della Marmora; Minister of the Interior, Signor Lanza; Minister of Finance, Signor Sella; Minister for War, Signor Petitti; Minister of Public Instruction, Signor Matteucci; Minister of Public Works, Signor Morandini: Minister of Justice, Signor Comforti; Minister of Marine, Signor Longo; Minister of Agriculture, Signor Natoli.

It is asserted that the programme of General della Marmora will be the execution of the stipulations of the Franco-Italian treaty, including the transfer of the Italian capital to Florence.

The defensive measures taken on Sept. 22 to quell the disturbances are believed to have been the cause of the ministerial crisis.

Advices from Turin to the 22nd September say:—"The mob, after repeatedly insulting the soldiers at the Hotel de Ville, were at last fired upon by the troops several times, and numbers were wounded. Several arrests were made. Among those wounded and arrested several were found armed with daggers and revolvers. Tranquility was restored at 10 o'clock at night." The following are further details of the events that took place on the 22nd:

Throughout the day great excitement prevailed, and numerous bodies of troops were stationed in the public squares. Great crowds thronged the promenades in the evening, and at 10 o'clock armed bands, raising seditious cries, attacked the carbineers placed at the gate of the hotel of the police. Some shots fired from the crowd wounded two carbineers, whereupon the troops replied with a general volley, killing 20 of the people and wounding many others. About 10 of the carbineers, including a colonel, were killed. The crowd fled and no attempt whatever at resistance was made, nor were any barricades erected. The movement arose solely in the hope of thereby preventing the transfer of the capital to Florence. The Municipal Council was weak and uncertain. They had published a proclamation recommending the people to be quiet but full of tremendous and accusations against the government. The national guard had scarcely appeared at all. The government, it is said, had neglected to take efficacious precautionary measures. The corps of the police guards were disposed of. Perfect discipline was observed by the troops. Inflammatory articles were published by the clerical and democratic journals, especially the 'Gazzetta del Popolo.'

It was rumoured that the Parliament will be opened in another city.

FRANCE.

The 'Constitutionel' of September 24, in an article examining the Franco-Italian treaty, shows that the imperial government has been faithful to its mission. Ever convinced that the temporal power of the Pope was not opposed to the liberty and independence of Italy, it was sufficient for the government to know how to await the propitious moment to effect a solution. It has always set its face against the spirit of revolt and to the retrograde tendencies of the Holy See and the revolutionary tendencies of Italy. "We ought," it says, "to congratulate ourselves that time has rendered possible the combinations which will accomplish this double result so necessary to the tranquillity of Europe."

The 'Patrie' of yesterday evening states, that M. de Sartiges, in communicating the terms of the Franco-Italian convention to the Pope, announced that the government of the emperor reserved its offer of advice. It also promised its assistance in carrying out those measures his holiness might deem necessary to adopt in view of the state of things which the Pontifical government might shortly have to meet. The Pope and Cardinal Antonelli declared almost simultaneously that they were aware that the present state of affairs could not be maintained for ever by the presence of the French troops, and that the emperor had always acted loyally, and had indicated that the intervention was essentially provisional. The Pope added that he had at that moment no observation to make relative to the engagements undertaken by Italy, in reference to France, and requested time for mature reflection before communicating his impression of the effects the new state of things might have upon the Papacy.

THE SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN QUESTION.

A despatch from Berlin states that the two great Powers are on the point of coming to an understanding with the Diet as to the future government of the Duchies. At Vienna it is suspected that France, Russia, and England are about to overthrow the preliminaries of peace and adhere to the personal union. A secret treaty has, therefore, it is alleged, been concluded between the two German Powers, consisting of four clauses—1st. Prussia engages to submit the question of succession to the Diet. 2nd. Schleswig-Holstein shall enter the Zollverein; 3rd. Rendsburg shall become a federal fortress; 4th. A certain sovereignty shall be established between the Eider and sea forces of the new State and those of Prussia.

An order of the government directs that the Prussian army of occupation, numbering about 30,000 men, shall go into winter quarters in the towns of the eastern districts of Jutland, between Friedrichshaven and Hogsons.

SWITZERLAND.

The National Council has ratified the treaty of commerce between France and Switzerland by 96 against 20 votes. The Council of the States will commence the discussion of the treaty to-day.

DENMARK.

The Prince and Princess of Wales left Copenhagen for Stockholm in the royal yacht, Osborne, in the afternoon of September 24. They were expected to return in eight days. The Danish royal family and Sir Augustus Paget accompanied the distinguished guests on board. Salutes were fired from the batteries of the forts. The ships in the harbour as well as the public and private buildings were decorated with flags. Their royal highness were loudly cheered by [illegible]

[illegible] second daughter of the King of Denmark, with the Czarewitch, is now determined on.

The Czarewitch, Nicholas of Russia, left Berlin for Copenhagen on a visit to the Danish

MEXICO.

Advices from Mexico state that Ju

difficulties are supposed to have been produced through their relations with the Leeds Banking Company.

The bills of Mr. John Abraham, of Aldermanbury, engaged in the Leeds woollen trade, have been returned.

The failure has been announced of Mr. C. Doss, a large cotton speculator at Havre. The liabilities are stated at £40,000, and the assets are thought to be considerable.

At a meeting of the creditors of Messrs. Palmer and Co., East India merchants, who failed on the 4th of September, an approximate statement of affairs was submitted by Messrs. Cash and Edwards, the accountants, showing liabilities amounting to £410,471, of which £78, 655 were expected to rank upon the estate with assets amounting to £62,067, and it was resolved to wind up the estate under inspection.

At a meeting of the creditors of Messrs. Born and Co., produce brokers, who failed on the 20th of August, the balance-sheet showed liabilities for £28,456, and assets estimated at £11,640. A resolution was passed to wind up under inspection, and the meeting was adjourned to the 17th of October, to give time for communication with the principal creditors, who are nearly all foreign.

The suspension has been announced of Messrs. Oelrichs and Co., of Mark-lane, owing to losses in cotton.

MANCHESTER MARKET.—Sept. 24.

Manchester, Sept. 23.—Shipping yarns still keep depressed, and to effect sales lower prices must be taken. Even at a decline from the low rates of yesterday very little business is offering. Among sellers for export there is an impression that prices must now have nearly reached the bottom. The fall in this class of yarns since this day week may be stated at fully 2d. per lb. In home trade yarns there is no abatement in the depression which has now so long prevailed, and the decline is fully 1d. to 2d. per lbs. In the cloth market the long-continued decline has had a tendency to make buyers rather timid, and to-day we have had a more depressed market than even on Tuesday, and on Monday the holders of cloth began to recognise the great decline occasioned by a falling cotton market, more fully than they had hitherto done. The consequence was, that they manifested a more general desire to realise than before, and offered goods more freely. This continued on Wednesday and yesterday, and has led to a not inconsiderable business. To-day there seems to be an almost universal desire to sell, and consequently goods are offered at very low prices. This pressure to sell seems to have had the effect of increasing the timidity above referred to on the part of buyers. Depressed as prices are, but few of the purchasers have been large—only a few of the larger operators being in a position to effect purchases, owing to money-tightness and other causes. The actual business of the day has probably not been so large as it otherwise would from this cause, at all events it has not been large.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.—Sept. 24

Cotton continues unfavourably influenced by the tightness of the money market and though in the early part of the week there was more disposition to buy, and prices in some instances rallied from the extreme decline of last week, the market closed with great heaviness and irregularity, and generally at a considerable further decline in quotations.

American has been in fair demand, particularly for export, but closed 1d. to 1d. per lb. below last week.

Surat and Madras neglected, and prices of this description have partially receded during the past fortnight from 1d. to 2d. per lb.

Egyptian continues to be much pressed for sale at daily declining prices, the quotations showing a reduction of 1½d. to 3d. per lb. in the current qualities, whilst on the lower grades have been sold at a greater depreciation.

Surat shows an average decline of 3d. per lb.

Brazil has been in fair demand, but is freely offered at a decline of 1½d. in Fernam and Maranham, and 2d. to 2½d in Bahia and Maceio.

For East India in the early part of the week the demand appeared to revive for the lower qualities, especially Bengal and Scinde, prices of which recovered ¼d. to ½d. per lb. while other kinds remained without material change. During the last two days this advance has again lost, and prices close at about ½d. decline from the last quotations.

China participated in the advance, but has again been much pressed, and must be quoted to-day 1d. per lb lower.

The transactions to arrive and for future delivery have been limited, and at a decline quite equal to that indicated above, the last quotations were Egyptian, fair September delivery 24½., Dhollera, September delivery, fair-to-merchant's 19½, fair Native 19d.

The sales of the week amount to 37,020 bales, including 5440 on speculation, and 15,480 declared for export, leaving 16,100 bales to the trade.

LATEST CITY INTELLIGENCE.

The following is the official report of business on the Stock Exchange:—Three per Cent. Consols for money, 89½, 89¾, 89¼, 89⅞; ditto, for account, 89¾. Three per Cents. Reduced, 89¼. Three per Cents. 89⅝, new 3½ first Sea Telegraph, 10⅛; India Stock, 209; ditto, 4 per Cent. Stock, 104¾.

The accounts from Leeds mention the failure of Messrs. Alfred Tuke and Co., woollen merchants, with liabilities to about £100,000, and of Messrs. Turner and Johnson and Mr. C. Turner, cloth manufacturers. In the two latter cases the liabilities are said to be small. It appears that the manager of the establishment of Mr. Alfred Tuke, the absconded bankrupt, has been apprehended on two charges of forgery.

There is little to add to the facts already known as to the Leeds Banking Company. It appears to have been fully ascertained that, for a very long time past, the firm never has discounted for parties whose paper was not signed by parties reputed to be clear of the world, a committee consisting of the partners, and of three persons for working a forest in Russia, of which the professed expectation was that the timber would be cut in Servia and floated down the Danube to the mouth of the Danube, and there shipped for England. This power was renewed from time to time until the crash came, and the Leeds Banking Company are now liable in the upwards of £1,000,000 of it, all of which will be returned upon them. There is other paper of a similar character which will come back, so that the total amount likely to be returned cannot be much short of £1,000,000; to provide for which the company have scarcely any available assets. The value of the returned paper to the banking company is not likely to be large, and even if it realises so much as 5s. in the pound, the shareholders will probably be called upon to provide for a deficiency of three-quarters of a million, as the separate assets are not more than sufficient to meet the other and legitimate debts of the Company.

INDIAN GOVERNMENT LOANS.	CLOSING PRICES.
6 per Cent. Loan of 1859–60	2s. 2½ pm. per rupee.
5 per Cent. Loan of 1856–57	2s. 0¼d. "
4 per Cent. Loan of 1854–55	—
4 per Cent. Loan of 1842–43	—
4 per Cent. Steam Loan of 1852–53	—
4 per Cent. Loan of 1845–46	—
4 per Cent. Loan of 1836–37	—
4 per Cent. Transfer	—

EUROPE SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS FROM BOMBAY.

SHIPS.	COMMANDERS.	AT.
19 Dudbrook		Liverpool.
21 Bombay	Bristow	Gravesend.
23 Bombay	Sellers	Deal.
24 Clio		Liverpool.
26 Gloucestershire		Do.

DEPARTURES FOR BOMBAY.

SHIPS.	COMMANDERS.	FROM.
18 Eagle	Cuthbert	Portsmouth.
21 Bombay	Stewart	Liverpool.
24 Miss Boss	Bastin	Do.

VESSELS SPOKEN WITH.

J. L. Hall, London to Bombay, Aug. 1, lat. 12 S., long. 30 W.

Leander, Bombay to Liverpool, lat. 10 S., long. 80 E.

Sir R. Seppings, London to Bombay, Aug. 1, lat. 12 S., long. 27 W.

LATEST ADVICES FROM INDIA.

CALCUTTA	Aug. 16	Received via Marseilles.	Received via Southampton.
KARACHI	" 16		
BOMBAY	" 23		
BOMBAY	July 31	Sept. 19.	Sept. 24.
HONG KONG	" 23		
SHANGHAE	" 22		
CHUSAN	Aug. 15		
SINGAPORE	" 9		
PENANG	" 8		

BOMBAY.

The Honorary Secretary of the Sailors' Home begs to acknowledge the receipt of Rs. 50 from "P. M. D.," for the ship-wrecked seamen.

HIGH MASS.—Bama Wittoba, a butcher, was fined yesterday by Mr. Brown in the sum of ten rupees, for illegally offering for sale various meat as food forman.

HIGH COURT.—The High Court, Appellate Side, was opened yesterday when some common appeal cases were disposed of.

We have learnt that the G. I. P. Railway intend to construct a double line from Wassind to Kussarah (at the foot of the Thull Ghaut.) The work will be divided into two contracts.

A SALUTE of seventeen guns was fired yesterday at 12 o'clock from the Saluting Battery, on occasion of the arrival in the Fort of His Excellency the Governor, to lay the foundation-stone of the Elphinstone Circle.

We beg to remind our readers that the ceremony and display of those gentlemen who sign their names to the Shroff will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock, at the Chamber of Commerce, and all [illegible] ted to attend with desire to co-operate in carrying out the resolutions of the requisitionists.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.—Bama Wittoba Gollock contractor, was brought up yesterday at the Dungaree Police Office, at the instance of Mr. H. King, overseer in the employ of the Bombay Reclamation Company for having, yesterday morning, at about one o'clock, cruelly treated his bullock. The evidence of Mr. King was of a nature to satisfy Mr. Brown that His Worship fixed the accused in the sum of rupees [illegible].

A CASE FOR THE SESSIONS.—Byramjee Shapoorjee, servant in the employ of Mr. Framjee Rustomjee Wadia, was committed yesterday by Mr. Brown to take his trial at the ensuing Criminal Sessions of the High Court, charged with theft of certain ornaments and wearing apparel, of the aggregate value of Rs. 1,160, the property of his master. Mr. Mayhew, Barrister-at-Law, conducted the prosecution; Mr. Nusserwanjee Framjee, defended the prisoner.

THE P. and O. Company's steamer *Sultan*, which arrived in our port yesterday, left Aden on the 18th. When she started the *Carnatic* with the English Mail of the 3rd had not arrived.

The only news she brings is that the *Madras* from Calcutta arrived at Aden on 9th and left for Suez the same evening. *Singapore* from Bombay reached Aden on 10th instant. Spoke the *Feroz* on 12th instant, about 300 miles East of Aden.

It affords us much pleasure to state that a permanent committee was yesterday formed by the subscribers to the Italian Opera, for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements in reference to the question of reserved seats on subscription nights. The committee will hold their first meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock, when it is to be hoped that they will be able to devise measures to prevent any more confusion arising from this cause. We shall publish to-morrow the names of the committee.

THERE was a large assemblage of Persian merchants, Parsees and other gentlemen at the residence of the Persian Consul on the 22nd instant, on the occasion of the receipt from the Shah of Persia of a Royal Mandate for Hajee Zainal Abadeen, bestowing on him the title of Adlijah and the noble rank of Ameen Oodlajjar; a grand khillat was also presented with which Hajee adorned himself, and was warmly congratulated by his friends on being thus invested with the robe of honour. After partaking of sweetmeats the gentlemen took their departure.

We have published to-day in another column the case of the Mahomedan quack doctor, who stood charged with voluntarily causing hurt with an instrument of cutting to a child of the age of about six years. It clearly points out how these quack doctors dupe the ignorant portion of the native community. We strongly recommend the Graduates of the Grant Medical College to render assistance to the prosecutor in this case, (the father of the child). The case stands adjourned until Wednesday next, the 2nd proximo, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

NTL DESPERADOES.—The Government of India has sanctioned an increase of cost to the establishment at the House of Correction of Rs. 46 per diem. The Deputy Superintendent gets an additional Rs. 40 to his present 100; the Senior Assistant Rs. 25 to his present 75; and to contribute something towards this lavish expenditure, the services of a clerk and a "cook (whose we are not informed) drawing salaries amounting to Rs. 20 and 8 respectively, are to be dispensed with. It is to be hoped after this reduction no further growling will be heard from the department.

THE PERSIAN GULF TELEGRAPH.

THE following Telegrams have been received from the Persian Gulf directed to the Secretary to Government from Mr. T. C. Webb:—

From Cape Monze.—Have found cable chafed through on rocks in two places, 5 miles from Cape Monze, and have another fault to remove from the heavy shore and cable with two miles additional, and afterwards proceed to repair fault off Astola Island. No fault apparently between seven miles seaward and Astola Island.

From Gwadur.—Fault off Gwadur. Found cable chafed through on rocks outside heavy shore end cable. Shall extend the shore end two miles further out, and expect to complete this in two or three days. Fault off Astola Island repaired and cable diverted round the rough ground. Am now going to work at the fault near Gwadur.

A SHIP STRUCK BY A SWORD FISH.

EXTRACT of a letter received by Captain Dixon from Captain Page, Barque *Japan*, hence to Moulmein:—"October 9th 1864, Lat. 17-43 N. Long. 72-40 E., Wind N. W. light at 10 P.M. The vessel experienced a shock as if striking the ground, although at the time I knew from the position of the ship that such a thing was impossible, as we could not assign any apparent reason for the sensation. No further notice was taken of it at the time until on sounding the pumps next morning we found 36 inches of water in the well, the ship previous to this not having made much water. Searched instrumentally for the leak until the 11th without result, the leak increasing. On the 12th, ship leaking badly, sent all hands below to remove the ballast &c. in search of the cause of leakage. Heard a rushing of water abreast the foremast on the starboard side. Cut away the ceiling and lifted the timber board, and from the outer plank of cardboard stakes found the water pouring into the vessel, a sword fish having penetrated through the bottom planking, its point passing between the timbers and through the ceiling where it seemed to have broken on coming in contact with a large stone forming a portion of the ballast. Broke off the piece of sword as close as possible, and drove in a plug. The vessel then became tight. I have preserved the piece of sword taken from bottom planking, also the piece of ceiling with the remaining portion of sword still remaining in it, which I will show to you on my arrival in Bombay." The *Japan* is a steel vessel of 1060 tons and built of English oak.

LAYING THE FOUNDATION STONE OF THE ELPHINSTONE CIRCLE.

THE Foundation Stone of the Elphinstone Circle was laid yesterday afternoon by His Excellency the Governor, who with Lady Frere arrived on the ground at half-past four o'clock, when they were met by the Hon. Mr. Scott and other gentlemen representing the Banks and other firms who are erecting buildings in the Circle. His Excellency was conducted to the spot which had been fixed upon for laying the corner stone of the erection, situate at the inner corner of the premises in course of construction for the Bank of Bombay. The Hon. Mr. Scott read an address to his Excellency which was signed by the respective purchasers or by their representatives, and was descriptive of the original design of the plan and the progress of the work, concluding with a request that His Excellency would lay the corner stone. Sir Bartle Frere replied at some length in an [illegible] speech, at the conclusion of which His Excellency proceeded to the stone and with a silver trowel and mortar with a richly chased trowel, which having been accompanied the stone was lowered into its place, and having been adjusted to the level to the satisfaction of the engineer, His Excellency declared the first stone of the Elphinstone Circle to have been duly laid. Copies of the English and some of the vernacular papers, a ten rupee currency note and one of each description of current coins in a silver box were deposited under the stone. This announcement was received with applause, and the company adjourned to a large Durbar tent under which refreshments were served by the renowned Pallonjee of the Adelphi Hotel. This ended the ceremony.

THE CYCLONE RELIEF FUND.

THE following contributions have been received yesterday and remitted to-day to the General Cyclone Relief Fund at Calcutta:—

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By the Bombay Gazette, from—

Eduljee Pallonjee Bottlewalla, Esq.	...	...	Rs. 100
Total	...	...	Rs. 3,585

Further contributions are earnestly solicited and will be duly advertised.

A. C. GUMPERT,
Chairman Chamber of Commerce.
Bombay, 26th October 1865.

MAZAGON POLICE OFFICE.—26th *October*.

(BEFORE F. L. BROWN, ESQ.)

A CHINAMAN IN TROUBLE.—Appa Lodo, a Chinaman, was placed at the bar, on the information of a coolie by name Sabeegh, charged with the theft of one gold nook ornament, of the value of two hundred and eighty-two rupees, the property of the said Sabeegh's woman.

It appears from the evidence of the prosecutrix that she lives on the first floor of a house on the Duncan Road, where the prisoner had been in the habit of coming to see an English woman. On the night of Friday last, at about 12 o'clock, she went to bed on the terrace. When she went to bed she placed under her pillows a necklace, which consisted of twenty-one gold venetians. The prisoner was in the house that night in a room upstairs. An hour after prosecutrix went to bed she saw the prisoner on the terrace and asked him what he wanted. He replied that he wanted a drink of water, and went away. In the following morning, at 7 o'clock, when prosecutrix got up she missed the neck ornament from under her pillow. At 8 o'clock she reported the theft to Mr. Constable Mills. On the same day she saw the prisoner in custody.

Asshew Achoo, a Chinaman, who is employed at present as a coolie on the Mazagon Hill stated, that one day, four or five days ago, at four o'clock in the afternoon, while he was in his room the accused came to him there and showed him several pieces of beaten metal. He (the accused) at the same time said that they were gold and that a man wanted to sell them. The prisoner asked witness and requested him to buy some of the pieces, but the latter refused. They then went together to a goldsmith's shop, and gave him the pieces of gold. The goldsmith melted some of the pieces and made the two small bars (produced before the Court). While they were waiting at the goldsmith's shop police sepoy came up and took the prisoner into custody.

His Worship adjourned the case for further investigation until this day, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

THE CASE OF THE MAHOMEDAN QUACK DOCTOR.—Syad Lall Boosanah, a Mahomedan quack doctor, aged about forty-five, was yesterday placed at the bar, charged with having voluntarily caused hurt by means of an instrument to a child aged about six years named Mahadoo Condajee.

Condajee Limba deposed—I am a basket-maker, and live in the Grant Road, near the Two Tanks. The boy, now present, Mahadoo Condajee, is my son, and is six years of age. For the last three months he had been suffering from retention of urine, and he complained of much pain. I at first took him to the dispensary at the Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy Hospital. The Doctor gave him medicine, but did not cure him. After a day or two I took him to the dispensary in Butcher's Street, as suggested by my neighbours. I attended that dispensary about three weeks, and my son seemed to derive benefit from the treatment he received there. On the 15th instant I saw the prisoner at the bar in the house of my neighbour, Mynesputhee. He (prisoner) was attending Mynesputhee's son, who had sore eyes. The neighbours represented to me that the prisoner was a good doctor, "the King's Physician," and advised me to allow him to see my child. I called the prisoner to my house and explained to him what the child was suffering from. He examined the boy and said that there was a stone which caused the retention of urine and the pain complained of. He said that he would remove the stone by an operation. He said that the European doctors did not know how to remove the stone. I begged of the prisoner to remove the stone and cure my child. He said that he would do it, and demanded fifteen rupees for performing the operation. I said that I was a poor man. He agreed at length to take five rupees. He asked me for three rupees with which to procure medicine. I gave him three rupees. My wife and some of my neighbours were then present. On the following morning, the 16th instant, the prisoner came to my house. He brought with him his bag with instruments and materials, produced. He said that he wanted two rupees more for ointment to heal the wound. I gave him two rupees. He went out and returned with the tin box, produced, which he had contained ointment. The prisoner then, with a lancet, like that now shown to me, made an incision between the child's legs near the arms. The wound bled much. The prisoner then placed the hollow conical instrument, now produced, to the wound; he placed the larger end of the instrument upon the wound, and he introduced a bamboo probe through the hole in the smaller end until it appeared to touch the wound. The child then screamed louder. When the prisoner had used the bamboo probe a short time he put his hand down to the wound and then removed the larger end of the instrument. He took from the wound the stone, produced, and said that he had removed the stone. The people standing about examined the stone, and said that it was a pebble, and not a stone from the bladder. At that time a police sepoy came there, who took possession of the stone, and took them to the constable. Mr. Wakefield. The constable sent my child to the Hospital, where he was treated by the doctors. He was kept there a patient for seven days, and then discharged.

His Worship adjourned the case for further enquiry until Wednesday next, the 2nd proximo, and remanded prisoner to jail.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE BYCULLA CHURCH.

To the Editor of the Bombay Gazette.

SIR,—Allow me, through the medium of your valuable columns, to point out the intolerable nuisance it is to people who walk occasionally of a Sunday evening to and from the above church, that cornwallas who are attending the carriages continually bellowing out "pass, pass." Now, Sir, 1st, I think such yells indecorous at and near any place of Christian worship; 2nd, the path to the church is so wide that nobody but a drunken man, or child, could possibly get in the way; 3rd, all the carriages have lamps, plainly showing they are approaching, and 4th, cornwallas who are attending the carriages continually bellowing out "pass, pass." Now, Sir, 1st, I think such yells indecorous at and near any place of Christian worship; 2nd, the path to the church is so wide that nobody but a drunken man, or child, could possibly get in the way; 3rd, all the carriages have lamps, plainly showing they are approaching, and 4th, cornwallas who are attending the carriages continually bellowing out "pass, pass," would appear as if the owners of the different vehicles seemed to imagine they added to their consequence by endeavouring to show a wretched gorawallah was a "Jeames" at Belgravia.

COMMON SENSE.

Bombay, 24th October.

BENGAL

THE recruits which arrived from England by the ships *Conflict* and *Sydenham*, left Fort William yesterday by river steamers for Chinsurah. The 1st Battalion, H. M.'s 11th Regiment is in the river; and may be expected off Calcutta to-morrow. It goes straight up-country to the station assigned to it in the annual relief, Fyzabad, in Oude.—*Indian Daily News, Oct. 20.*

WE were sorry to hear yesterday that intelligence had been received by Telegraphic message from Mussoorie of the unexpected death at that Hill-station, of Colonel A. N. Campbell, Senior Lieutenant-Colonel of Her Majesty's 48th Regiment, stationed at Dum-Dum, who was away on privilege leave. This casualty gives the command of the Regiment to Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Aplin, who will take the Regiment home to England, where, but for the death of Colonel Campbell, he would immediately, on landing, have been placed on half pay as supernumerary. No step, however, goes in the Regiment, as used to be the case, there being now but one Lieutenant-Colonel allowed to each Infantry Regiment and any casualty by death or promotion of supernumeraries not being filled up. Colonel Campbell served with Her Majesty's 16th Royal Irish in the Burmese war.—*Id.*

THE following movements of Regiments in substitution of those given in the Annual Relief, are ordered to take place: Her Majesty's 55th Regiment, ordered from Hazarebagh to Sangor, will go to Lucknow instead; and Her Majesty's 97th Regiment, ordered from Sangor to Seetapore and Roy Bareilly, will stand fast at Sangor, the former of these arrangements exhibits a military combination of which I do not remember to have before seen a parallel, and the object of which, if it has been effected intentionally, we cannot understand. Lucknow will, during the coming year, be garrisoned by the European Regiments [illegible] *one from England; Her Majesty's* 9th Lancers, and 36th and 55th Infantry Regiments. The arrangement does not appear to us a good one, as by it the newly arrived corps will learn less of the "manners and customs" of the country than if they had been mixed with old lagers.—*Id.*

BOMBAY AND THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

(From the Englishman.)

THAT the Calcutta papers should betake themselves to the task of discussing the commercial, moral and social condition of Bombay, appears to the *Gazette* proof that they have nothing better to do. It may certainly be a more unprofitable task than we supposed, but we should be unwilling to condemn the subject as so utterly worthless as our contemporary seems to believe it to be. We should not wish to come in for a share of the withering reproaches cast upon our rulers by the press of Bombay, for the contempt and neglect with which it is supposed they treat her; and it certainly seems somewhat ungrateful in the *Gazette* to meet our little attentions with the taunt that we have nothing better to do. We have advocated the claims of Bombay; we have endorsed her appeal for extraordinary aid; but we are busy-bodies, it would seem, because we will not go the whole hog and admit her claim in full. We scarcely think the *Bombay Gazette* understands the ground on which we put the hypothetical case of Assam claiming a monopoly of the proceeds arising from the sale of her waste lands, as analogous to that of Bombay in the present case. The Empire of India is, with reference to its general government and expenditure, one and undivided; but at the same time the necessity of local government in other matters has led to its distribution into separate provinces, the boundaries of which are, for the most part, purely artificial, or at least have no reference whatever to any strict proportion between their revenue and expenditure; there is no connection whatever between the amounts these provinces happen to contribute to the income of the State, and the amount of expenditure their exigences demand. It may happen that in one place there exists some extraordinary source of wealth, where there is very little call for expenditure; and *vice versâ* it is quite possible that another place may produce little or nothing, and at the same time require a great outlay. It may perhaps be said that no unproductive territory should require a large outlay, or at least, that such outlay should not be made to depend upon the anticipation of a future equivalent production; but the fact is that we cannot so separate the different parts of our empire, as to weigh the value of each against its cost; it is the balance of profit we derive, or loss we suffer, from the whole, that we have to consider. The division of the country into these separate provinces has been governed by reasons entirely independent of the consideration of their comparative costs and incomings. It may, for instance, be necessary, in a political point of view, to give to a wide and unproductive tract of country a separate government, and expend a great deal in protecting it, although it produces very little; and, as we have already said, the opposite may be the case. Indeed, it is one of the advantages of forming part of a great empire, that a province need not be left to its natural poverty, notwithstanding its great wants, but can draw supplies in proportion to its needs from the surplus of other provinces. In the opposite case, too, of a province, which after taking the share to which its needs entitle it, has a surplus, which is made over to her neighbours we contend that there is no disadvantage; for not only must she, as a part of one great government, be benefited by that course of policy which tends to the good of the whole; but, after all, she may some day have greater wants than she could herself supply, and come in for her share of the direct advantage we have already referred to. In any case, it were to the last degree unreasonable for a province to acquiesce for a time in the general rule of enjoying the imperial income in common, and afterwards, on some fine day, stumbling over a windfall, suddenly complain of the arrangement in order to avoid giving her neighbours a share of her unexpected gains. Our argument is briefly this, that as there is no connection between the territorial limits of the separate governments of India, and their wants, or, a gain, between their wants and what they may produce, their expenditure must be regulated by their wants, and not by any other consideration; that this is a natural result of their forming part, and that it is a principle which [illegible] working out [illegible] and [illegible] and a contempt for the responsibilities they incur, and the advantages they derive, from their membership of the Commonwealth. "Bombay," says the *Gazette*, "rests the justice of her claim on the sufficient ground that the money has been derived, not from the sale of waste lands, but from that of land which was previously used for public purposes—as gunpowder works, fortifications, etc., and that the whole amount is needed for the construction of new Government Offices, Forts and Public Institutions, on a scale suited to the modern requirements of the town:" and, again, he speaks of the money as "our money." The lands, however, belonging to the Imperial Government; if they were purchased, they were purchased as part of a general scheme, with Imperial money, devoted to Bombay in proportion to her necessity for them, as part of a general scheme. If the value of the land has now turned out to be a hundredfold what it was then necessary to expend upon it, this does not, in any sense, make the whole sum the property of Bombay. It was in respect of the uses for which it was intended that it was appropriated to Bombay, and not in respect of any right to it as property. If Bombay requires new Government Offices, Forts and Public Institutions, on a grand scale, her wants must be supplied, as far as they can be, with regard to those of other places. We do not for a moment wish them to be overlooked or underrated; but she, as a local government has no exclusive right to Imperial property, merely from the accident that Imperial policy had necessitated, or otherwise brought about, its acquisition or construction within her boundaries.

THE NEW REFORMERS.

(From the Saturday Review.)

MR. FAWCETT'S address at Brighton is worthy of study, not because of the sentiments or arguments it contains, for they are of the regulation type, and were probably handed to him in a concise summary by his election agent an hour before he began his speech, but because he belongs to a class of demagogue new to this generation. Our tribunes of the people have hitherto been either shallow brawlers, or hard-headed men of business who, under cover of a zeal for the rights of the people, have played their own game, personally or commercially, for themselves or for their class. Mr. Fawcett belongs to a totally different race, of whom we have had no recent specimens, and who have been rare at all periods of our history. Their motives are pure, not only from personal greed, but from that nobler selfishness which aims at the exaltation of an order or a class; and their intellects are too cultivated to suffer them to be ranked among mere declaimers. They belong to the class of closet politicians, who have made their way by exact logical steps to a democratic demonstration. Condorcet, among the older French revolutionists, was a typical specimen of the genus; of the many swarming now with Professor politicians of the sort. The best possible cure for such speculative statesmen is that they should make their way into the House of Commons. It is the possession of that peculiar crushing-mill of all intellectual and moral eccentricity which has made theoretical politicians so rare among us and so harmless. A student, if he takes interest in politics, tends naturally towards democracy. His self-respect is wounded by the airs which rank and wealth give themselves, and the belief in them, as in some essential merit, which commonplace people obviously entertain, offends his keener intellect. The main course of his studies has lain among those ancient authors whose writings are instinct with the spirit of republicanism; and, however readily he may admit in argument that their doctrines ended disastrously, and that, even if the result of them had been satisfactory, it would furnish no rule for our guidance, still he cannot help viewing what passes around him, in some degree, in the spirit in which those writings chiefly occupy his thoughts. He is accustomed to abstract speculation and to *a priori* argument, and has acquired that disbelief in illogical success, that impatience of half-accepted theories, which inevitably lead a man to the arithmetical symmetry of democratic institutions. If his nature is kindly and his morality high, those very virtues are likely to lead him into the same error, until experience has given him an insight into the practical working of political machines. The first impulse of a good man who argues upon the tendencies of humanity, not from experience, but antecedently, is to believe every one else to be as free from evil passion or blind selfishness as himself; and an over-belief in the goodness and wisdom of mankind is the "first falsehood" of a sincere democratic reasoner. There is no such certain specific for these intellectual maladies as the discipline of the House of Commons. There is an aversion in that estimable body for anything approaching to abstract reasoning, an indifference to any considerations which do not promise a distinct practical advantage, that may perhaps be carried to excess, but that acts as an invaluable corrective to the purely moral school of politicians. No one who has seen much of that assembly is likely to form an exaggerated estimate of human intellectibility, or to entertain any doubt of the omniting power of the law of selfishness. Neither will he be overwhelmingly impressed with the efficiency of popular bodies for the purposes of government, or with the value of constituent pressure as a factor in legislation. Professor Fawcett's speech, therefore, will make all who respect him earnestly desire that he may succeed in obtaining a seat in Parliament.

The argument which he advanced on behalf of Reform is, it is to be presumed, not that which has convinced himself, but that which he and his backers thought most suited for his audience. Even so, however, it is a curious piece of reasoning. It consisted chiefly in these two propositions—that the working classes ought to receive the suffrage because they cheered Garibaldi, and because they have not agitated for the recognition of the South. Can Professor Fawcett point out any distinguished conqueror who was not popular, for the time at least, with all classes of society, high and low? The brilliancy of Garibaldi's achievements would alone have been sufficient to procure for him an enthusiastic welcome in any age, from any people not hostile to the policy he had advanced; but probably the reception of the Italian General owed something of its striking effect to the efforts of those who hoped to make him the central figure in a sort of Republican triumph. The refusal of the working men in Lancashire to agitate for the recognition of the South is a more questionable recommendation. There is no evidence that the question of slavery had anything to do with the matter; and indeed Abolitionism has always been rather the hobby of the middle classes than of the lower. It is more likely that a sympathy with democracy should have been the moving cause of whatever Federal sympathy there may have been in Lancashire. Mr. Bright lost no opportunity of telling them that the United States were the true home of liberty, and that, if Americanized institutions could be introduced into England, working men would have a considerable slice of the land which is now in the hands of their richer neighbours. It is possible that some of them believed him, and, if they did, it is no marvel that they should have sympathized with Mr. Lincoln's Government. But the real truth is, that the working classes, unless maddened by absolute want, do not agitate without leaders. The Relief Committees took care there should be no want; and it was the political interest of the demagogues who habitually stir them up to take the side of the Northern States.

All these considerations, however, are wholly beside the question. The suffrage is not a reward to be given to classes who have behaved well. It is an article in a deed of partnership, to be arranged on strict business principles. A certain number of the partners have accumulated property, in various degrees, and a much larger number have nothing but what they earn. This being the case, the question arises, who is to make laws for the government of this property, and for the raising and spending of the taxes which all classes pay, either out of their property or out of the proceeds of their labour? The equitable course, in a strict theory, would be to give to each a share in the government or choice of governors, according to his interest in the concern. If any scheme of graduated suffrage had been devised that would work, this theoretical arrangement might be possible. But it being, for the present at least, agreed that the voting power of each man who votes shall be equal, other arrangements for securing a due representation to all classes become necessary. It would be impossible to admit the working classes in large numbers to the polling-booth, for the simple reason that they are so numerous that it has a system of uniform suffrage, they would no longer have a *chance* in the government of the country, but would govern it altogether. Professor Fawcett's answer to this objection is that, the working men will not unite as a class to vote for objects in which their class is interested. It may be permissible to doubt whether he will repeat this argument when he gets into the House of Commons. If they abstain from using political power in order to serve their own class, they differ very much from all other types of humanity, and may be regarded as nothing less than angels disguised in fustian. Certain it is that Irishmen combine for Irish objects, even down to a Galway subsidy; that squires will sit up half the night to vote for a poaching Bill; that manufacturers are never weary in pressing upon the Government to negotiate favourable commercial treaties; that farmers force their representatives to vote for the abolition of the malt-tax—in fact, that every class, high and low, habitually and invariably uses whatever legislative power it possesses in order to protect and to promote its interests. The working men, too, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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The Bank also draws on the Branches of the Bank of New South Wales.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Floating Deposits when the amount of such sum less than Rs. 1,000 or above Rs. 50,000 at 2 per cent. per annum.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

Fixed Deposits for 12 months' sight ... 6 per cent.
" " 6 " " ... 5 "
" " 3 " " ... 4 "

Fixed Deposits may generally be availed of at the Bank Bills on same at advertised rates, without notice.

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies, without charge, and realizes Interests and Dividends thereon on the following terms:—

If to be remitted in the Bank's Drafts, without charge.
If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of 1 per cent.
On delivering up Securities deposited for safe custody, a charge of 1 per cent.
On receiving Government Paper or Shares, Certificates of Shares, or other Securities for safe custody, or when sold on account of the proceeds of such sale in India, a commission will be charged of ½ per cent. But if proceeds are remitted on the Bank's Drafts, without charge.
Commission charged on purchase and sale of Government Securities.
All Letters should be addressed and all Hoondees made payable to the Agent, Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China, Bombay, 27th Sept. 1864. W. JACKSON, Agent.

BANK OF INDIA.—Incorporated, with Unlimited Liability, under Act No. XIX. of 1857, of the Legislative Council of India.

"CAPITAL.—SIXTY LACS OF RUPEES, IN 24,000 SHARES OF Rs. 250 EACH, WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

Head Office, Bombay.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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Solicitors—Messrs. KELLY & HOBE.

London Bankers—THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK.
Branches—Calcutta, Hongkong.

EXCHANGE.

The Bank grants Drafts on the London Joint Stock Bank at the following rates:—

At 6 months' sight	...	...	at 2s. 0¾d.	per Rupee.
" 4 do.	...	...	at 2s. 0½d.	do.
" 3 do.	...	...	at 2s. 0¼d.	do.
" 2 do.	...	...	at 2s. 0d.	do.
" 1 do.	...	...	at 2s. 0d.	do.
On demand	...	...	at 2s. 0d.	do.

DEPOSITS.

Interest will be allowed as follows:—
On Current Accounts ... ½ per cent.
Deposits for 3 months certain ... 2 " "
" 12 " " ... 3 " "

No interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000 or over Rs. 50,000, unless by special agreement.

ADVANCES.

The Bank grants Loans against Government Securities, &c., and discounts Government and approved Private Bills and Hoondees.

COMMISSION.

On the purchase or sale of Government Securities, Bank or other Shares, ½ per cent.
Government or other Securities received for safe custody and interest or Dividends thereon drawn, free of charge.
On returning Securities out of safe custody, ½ per cent.
Orders and Hoondees should be made payable, and all letters addressed, "To the Manager Bank of India."
Any other information as to the business may be had on application at the Bank, or by letter to the Manager.
Bombay, 1st October 1864. JOHN GRAY, Manager.

THE ASIATIC BANKING CORPORATION.

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £500,000 WITH POWER TO INCREASE TO £2,000,000 (TWO CRORES OF RUPEES).

CAPITAL CALLED UP £500,000.

HEAD OFFICE—No. 5, LOMBARD STREET, LONDON.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

FRANCIS BOWLEY, Esq., Chairman (Messrs. Timothy Wiggin & Co.)
T.A. RECORDE, Esq., Deputy-Chairman (Messrs. Grey and Coles, London, and Grey & Co., Bombay.)
THOMAS CARGWELL, Esq. (Messrs. Thomas Cardwell & Co., London, and Cardwell, Parsons & Co., Bombay.)
CHARLES A. FEARON ESQ. (Messrs. Fearon & Co., London, and late of Messrs. Augustine Heard & Co., China).
WILLIAM MACLAND, Esq. (Messrs. Macklille Stewart & Co., Calcutta).

General Manager—Henry John, Esq.
Bankers—The Bank of England and the London Joint Stock Bank.
Agents in Scotland—The British Linen Company.
Agents in Ireland—The National Bank.
Brokers—Messrs. Fowler and Braithwaite.
Solicitors—Messrs. Freshfields and Newman.
Auditors—Messrs. Colquhoun, Turquand & Co.

Agencies and Branches of the Bank have been established at Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, and Ceylon, and others are in the course of being organized at Hongkong and Shanghai.

PROMOTERS IN BOMBAY.

The Hon. MICHAEL H. SCOTT (Messrs. Ritchie, Steuart & Co.)
ROBERT HANNAY, Esq. (Messrs. Grey & Co.)
CURSETJEE JEHANGHIR, Esq.

BOMBAY AGENCY.

Temporary Offices—No. 2, Rampart Row, (next to the Bank of Bombay.)

EXCHANGE.

The Bank grants drafts on the London Joint Stock Bank, London at the following rates of Exchange:—

6 months' sight	...	...	...	2s. 0¾d.
4 do.	...	...	...	2s. 0½d.
3 do.	...	...	...	2s. 0¼d.
2 do.	...	...	...	2s. 0d.
1 month's	...	...	...	2s. 0d.
Demand	...	...	...	2s. 0d.
On Scotland	do.	...	...	1s. 11¾d.
On Ireland	do.	...	...	

Circular Notes will also be prepared shortly to grant Drafts and Letter of Credit on other places in India, China and the East, where Branches are not established, with the view of being established, also to purchase or collect Bills on the same places.

DEPOSIT.

Interest is allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily balances.
On fixed Deposits for 3 months certain ... ... 3 per cent.
" " 6 " " ... ... 4 "
" " 12 " " ... ... 5 "

No Interest will be allowed on Deposits under Rs. 1,000 or above Rs. 50,000 unless by special agreement.

Deposits for a longer period than 12 months, will be received by the Corporation on terms which may be arranged on application in the Agents.

COMMISSION AND AGENCY BUSINESS.

Customers may deposit with the Corporation for safe custody, free of charge, Government and other Securities and Bank and other Shares and Certificates.
Interest or Dividends will be collected on the same, also free of charge, if remitted to the Agents in the Bank's Bills; otherwise a charge of 1 per cent. will be made.
On account purchases of Government and other Securities ½ per cent.
On delivering up Securities deposited for safe custody, ½ per cent.

By order of the Directors.
Bombay, 2nd Sept. 1864. ANTHONY MORRISON Agent.

THE ALLIANCE BANK OF BOMBAY (LIMITED).

Incorporated in accordance with Acts XIV. of 1857 and VII. of 1860 of the Legislative Council of India.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.—SIXTY LACS OF RUPEES, IN 24,000 SHARES OF 250 RUPEES EACH,
With power to increase.

TEMPORARY OFFICE—RAMPART ROW.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

CHARLES FREWEN KELLY, Esq., *Chairman.*
JOSEPH A. SASSOON Esq.
HURBUM NURSEY, Esq.
GHELLABHOY FEEROOMSEY, Esq.
SEDMEE VELLJEE, Esq.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS.

Interest allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on balances exceeding Rs. 500 and not more than 50,000, and one per cent. per annum on balances exceeding Rs. 500 and not more than Rs. 500.

Interest is not allowed on balances of more than Rs. 50,000 except by special arrangement.

DEPOSITS.

The Bank will receive money on deposit in sums of Rupees 100 and upwards, subject to 15 days' notice of withdrawal on either side, and allow Interest thereon at 2 per cent below the Bank of Bombay minimum rate of discount, rising or falling therewith but not exceeding five per cent. per annum. Parties having current accounts can transfer any portion of their credit balance to deposit account.

Notice of changes in the rate of interest will be given by advertisement only.

At the expiration of the 15 days' notice of withdrawal of a deposit, the Interest will cease, unless the Depositor express his wish to continue the deposit subject to further notice.

Unless money shall have been lodged for fifteen days prior to the notice of withdrawal, no Interest will be allowed thereon.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Subject to 12 months' notice of withdrawal 7 per cent, per annum.
Do. 6 do. do. do. do.
Do. 3 do. do. 4 do. do.

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies, without charge, and realizes Interest and Dividends thereon on the following terms:—

If to be remitted in the Bank's Drafts, without charge.
If to be paid in India, a commission will be charged of 1 per cent.
On delivering up Securities deposited for safe custody, a charge of

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CENTRAL BANK OF WESTERN INDIA.—

HEAD OFFICE—BOMBAY.

CAPITAL, ONE MILLION STERLING. PAID-UP, ONE MILLION.
RESERVE, ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.

OFFICES IN INDIA.

Calcutta, Madras, Sholapore, Surat, Ahmedabad, and Indore.
London Bankers—London and County Bank.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Accounts where Rs. 1,000 and not exceeding Rs. 50,000, repayable on demand, at 2 per cent. per annum.
On Fixed Deposits for 6 months certain 3 per cent. per annum.
" " 12 " " 5 " "
Five years and not exceeding five years 7 per cent. per annum Interest payable half-yearly.

EXCHANGE.

The Bank grants Drafts on London on demand, and at from one day to six months' sight, and Drafts on Scotland and Ireland on demand.

The Current rates of Exchange are:—

Bills—London, at 6 months' sight	2s. 1d.	per Rupee.
Do. at 4 do.	2s. 0¾d.	do.
Do. at 3 do.	2s. 0½d.	do.
Do. at 2 do.	2s. 0¼d.	do.
Do. at 1 do.	2s. 0d.	do.
Do. on Demand	2s. 0d.	do.
Scotland and Ireland do.	2s. 0d.	do.

Drafts at 6 months' sight are not granted for less than £50, and amounts under £20 are only drawn for payable on demand.

The Bank also purchases Bills and grants Drafts on Calcutta, Hongkong, and Shanghai.

COMMISSION.

On the sale or purchase of Government and other Securities ½ per cent. on the amount realized or invested.

The Bank receives Government and other Securities for safe custody, free of charge, the Interest or Dividends thereon being credited to account or remitted home in the Bank's Bills, also without charge.

On Interest or Dividends, or on proceeds of Securities by sale ½ per cent. commission charged if the amounts be paid in India; if remitted home by the Bank, no commission charged.

On returning Securities out of safe custody ½ per cent. commission.

Hours of business 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.; Saturdays 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Bombay, 29th Oct. 1864. EDWIN HEYCOCK, Manager.

THE BOMBAY CITY BANK (LIMITED).—

Incorporated under Acts XIX. of 1857 and VII. of 1860 of the Legislative Council of India.—CAPITAL SEVENTY-FIVE LACS OF RUPEES IN 30,000 SHARES OF 250 EACH, WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

OFFICES—No. 2, CHURCH GATE STREET.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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ARDASEER CURSETJEE DADY, Esq., (Messrs. Cursetjee Ardaseer Dossa & Co.)
R. T. PRICE, Esq., (Messrs. Roper, Price & Co.)
MERWANJEE NUSSERWANJEE BROWNGOREE, Esq.
BHUGWANDAS PURSHOTTUMDAS, Esq.

Solicitors—
Messrs. ACLAND and PRENTICE.
London Bankers,
THE BANK OF LONDON.

EXCHANGE.

Bills on London	6 months' sight	2s.	1d.	per Rupee.
Do.	4 do.	2s.	0¾d.	do.
Do.	3 do.	2s.	0½d.	do.
Do.	2 do.	2s.	0¼d.	do.
Do.	1 do.	2s.	0d.	do.
Do.	On Demand	2s.	0d.	do.

The Bank is making arrangements for granting Drafts on Calcutta and China.

Current Accounts.

Interest at 2 per cent. per annum will be allowed on Daily Balances if not less than Rupees 500, nor exceeding Rs. 50,000, unless otherwise specially arranged.

Fixed Deposits.

Subject to 3 months' notice 4 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " " 5 " "
" 12 " " 7 " "

Discounts, Loans, &c.

The Bank discounts local Bills and Hoondees and grants Loans on Government and other approved Securities.

COMMISSION.

The Bank will receive Government and other Securities for safe custody free of charge, for constituents.

Commission will be charged as follows:—
On purchase or sale of Securities ... ... 1 per cent.
On realizing Interest or Dividends ... ... ½ "
On delivering up Securities from safe custody ... ½ "
Any further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the Bank or on application by letter to the Manager.

By order of the Board
W. E. B. DAVISON, Manager.

Bombay, 26th October 1864.

THE AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK (LIMITED).—*Incorporated by Royal Charter.*—ESTABLISHED IN INDIA, 1857.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £2,000,000 (TWO MILLIONS STERLING.)
PAID-UP CAPITAL £1,000,000 (ONE MILLION STERLING.) RESERVED FUND, £325,000—(Rs. £2,500,000).

Head Office.....LONDON. | Branch Office.....EDINBURGH.
BRANCHES IN INDIA—CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, MADRAS, AGRA, LAHORE AND KURRACHEE.—BRANCHES IN CHINA—SHANGHAI, HONGKONG.—BRANCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES—SYDNEY.

The Bombay Manager grants drafts on London, also Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt and the Continent of Europe.

The following are the current rates of Exchange:—

On London at 6 months' sight	...	...	per Rupee.
" 4 do.	...	...	2s. 0¾d. do.
" 3 do.	...	...	2s. 0½d. do.
" 2 do.	...	...	2s. 0¼d. do.
" 1 do.	...	...	2s. 0d. do.
" On Demand	...	...	2s. 0d. do.
Circular Notes	...	...	1s. 11¾d. do.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

1. On Floating, or Current Deposits, payable on demand of notices than Rs. 1,000 or more than Rs. 50,000 2 per cent. per annum.
2. On Fixed Deposits at 3 months' notice, 3 per cent. per annum.
3. On Fixed Deposits at 6 months' notice, 4 per cent. per annum.
4. On Fixed Deposits at 12 months' notice, 5 per cent. per annum.

Fixed Deposits may generally be availed of for the Bank's Bills on London without notice.

Interest is credited to Deposit accounts half-yearly.

No interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000 or over 50,000, unless by special agreement.

The Bank is also connected with the Societies and of such other Societies as the Directors may consider eligible for the same privilege, will be received by the Bank at its highest rate of interest for the time being, subject to modification.

The Bank reserves to itself the right of paying off all interest Deposits, and of modifying this terms thereof, on giving one month's notice.

Parties making remittances to the Bank should specify distinctly he Account or Accounts to which the same are to be credited.

COMMISSIONS.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies without charge and realizes the Interests and Dividends, for which a charge will be made of ½ per cent.

On returning Government Paper or other Securities out of safe custody, a charge will be made of ½ per cent.

On the purchase or sale of Government Securities and Bank or other Stock, ½ per cent.

REMITTANCE.

The Bank realizes Drafts or Hoondees payable in the Presidency for remittance to Europe in the Bank's Bills on London.

To obviate disappointment to parties at a distance, it is hereby notified that the Bank will, whenever so requested, transmit Notice of Exchange three, or, being furnished with the correct address of the party to be advised, four days before the Bill is to be sent, if to a Sub, two days before the Bill is to be sent, if to a Sub, two days before the Bill is to be sent, if to a Sub, two